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#### **BURPEE'S SUPREME SNAPDRAGONS**

New First Generation (F1) Hybrids

From the left: Venus, Vanguard, Highlife SEE PAGE 9



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Toreador Marigold All-America Bronze Medal Winner, Spectacular rich orange addition to the Giant F1 Hybrid Climax Marigolds. The satiny petals are deeply ruffled and gracefully frilled. Plants covered with blooms from midsummer until frost. 2 ft.
4153 Pkt. (75 seeds) \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.50; ½16 oz. \$3.50

Special for very small gardens: 3004 Pkt. (30 seeds) 50¢



Caged Petunias on Burpee's Floradale Seed Farms. Plants of exceptional superiority are protected from insect pollination as part of Burpee's program of breeding new and better varieties,

Pollen must be transferred by hand from one parent to the other to produce seed of the wonderful new F<sub>1</sub> Hybrid Petunias. This is an expensive operation, but the resulting seed is well worth it.



# These Are The New Flowers For 1960 Shown On The Opposite Page

3149 Pink Peony Aster The delicate shell pink color of this peony flowered aster is most outstanding. Large, round, fully double flowers 3½ in. across with attractively incurved petals and well covered centers. Blooms freely from midseason until frost on strong flower stems. The erect plants grow to a height of 2½ ft. Pkt. 40; ½ 60. 31.00; % 0.2 \$1.90

3143 Gloriosa Golden Daisy Spectacular, golden yellow flowers  $5\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, the long, broad petals in dramatic contrast to the dark, velvety centers. An occasional semi-double or double flower may appear in any planting, Vigorous, free blooming plants 3f.t. tall. Pkt.  $35 \notin$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$2.00

3006 Glamour Shades Snapdragons Large, fully double flowers with gracefully ruffled extra petals cover the long, strong flower spikes. Glamour Shades is a beautiful pastel mixture of lively shades of yellow, cream, pink, cerise-rose, bronze and yellow enhanced by a pink flush. The base branching plants grow 3 ft.

Pkt. 50¢; 1/32 oz. \$2.50; 1/16 oz. \$4.75

3244 Miracle Marigolds Hybrids of Nearest-to-White. New selections for 1960. Burpee hybridizers have made hundreds of crosses with the palest marigolds. The descendants of these crosses crosses with the palest mangoids. The descendants of these crosses are Burpee's Miracle Marigolds among which a pure white may appear. Being hybrids, some wonderful flowers will appear that no one has ever seen before. Miracle Marigolds contain many big, fully double, light primrose to almost white flowers in carnation, peony and chrysanthemum flowered types. Plants 2 to 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.75; ½6 oz. \$4.00

3133 Trail Blazer Zinnia The first and only F<sub>1</sub> Hybrid Zinnia. Brilliant red, medium-large, double and semi-double flowers are freely borne on strong, bushy plants 2 ft. tall. Many of the semi-double flowers have attractive bright yellow centers. Remarkable for its hybrid vigor and high resistance to mildew.

Pkt. (50 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 90¢; 1/8 oz. \$2.00; 1/4 oz. \$3.50

#### More New Burpee Annuals For 1960

#### **Curlilocks Asters**

Extra early, erect ostrich plume asters for the first time in separate colors. Large, fluffy flowers, 3 to 4 in. across with gracefully curled petals, will highlight your garden in 5 distinctive colors. 20 in.

3352 Blue Bonnet Exceptionally nice clear mid-blue shade. 3351 Cerise Scarlet A vivid color entirely new to asters.

3326 Lovely Pink Flowers of soft and delicate salmon-pink. 3322 Swansdown Fluffy, graceful petals of purest white.

3358 Royal Violet Rich violet shade that demands attention,

Any of the above: Pkt. 40¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

3222 Clinton Blue Aster The earliest blooming of the mid-season asters, 2 weeks earlier than other midseason varieties. Atwith incurved petals, are freely borne on strong stems. 18 in. tall.

Pkt. 50¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.25; ⅓6 oz. \$2.25

3184 Flame Dwarf Double French Marigold Opens deep scarlet and turns to rich tangerine. Each bright petal is strikingly accented by a gold edge. The pert blooms measure 1½ to 2 in. across and completely cover the bushy plants. 10 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75

4232 Glamour Annual Phlox All-America Bronze Medal Winner. New Giant Tetra Phlox in a glamorous shade of mid-salmon deepening toward a creamy white eye. The flowers, 134 in. across, are borne in large showy clusters above the rich foliage. 14 in. Pkt. 50¢; 1/46 oz. \$3.00; 1/46 oz. \$5.50

#### **Supreme Snapdragons**

The first F1 Hybrid Double Summer Flowering Snapdragons, and the most sensational snapdragons we have ever seen. Fully double flowers borne on spikes 3 ft. tall. In three colors described below.

4412 Vanguard All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Long, tapered spikes of rich cerise-rose flowers, prettily waved and ruffled.

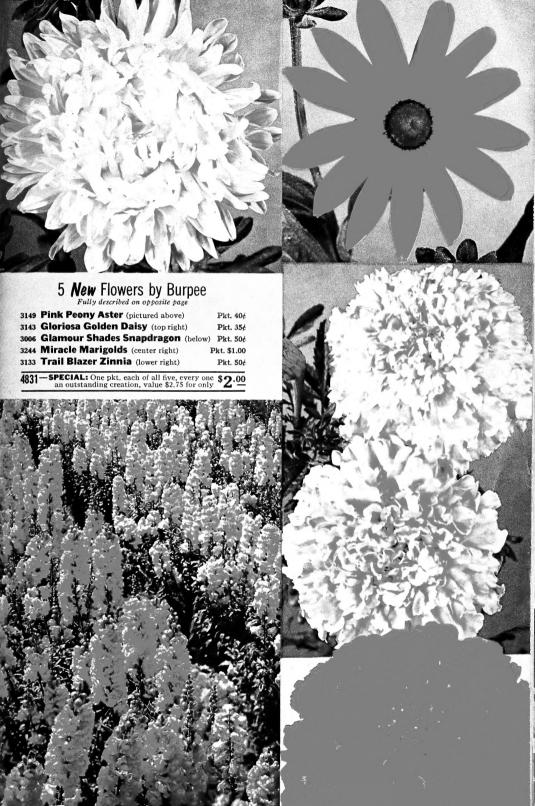
3014 Highlife Delightful, waved and ruffled, cream colored flowers with yellow lip closely set on gracefully tapered spikes.

3017 **Venus** Flowers of clear, soft pink enhanced by a yellow lip, a lovely combination in the garden or when cut. Many spikes.

Any of above Supreme F1 Hybrid Double Snapdragons: Pkt. \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.85; 1000 seeds \$4.50

3011 Cream Puff Snapdragon The large, cream colored blossoms puff out with many extra frilled petals to create extremely full and graceful doubling. Base-branching, tapered, 3 ft. spikes. Pkt. 50¢; ½2 oz. \$2.00; ½6 oz. \$3.75

W. ATLEE BURPEE CO., Seed Growers





3057 American Beauty Aster, Shell Pink Pht. 256

# **Giant Branching Asters**

Also known as American, Semple's or Vick's Branching

From midsummer until frost these asters will produce a profusion of From musuamer until rost these asters will produce a profusion of beautiful flowers. The blooms are quite large, 3% to 4 in, across, and fully double. Plants grow 2% ft. tall and branch freely, producing stems (requently 2 t. long, which makes them especially fine for cutting. Flowers have good substance, therefore are long lasting.

3034 Sensation Strikingly bright scarlet; vivid and intense color.

3041 Azure Blue Also described as dark silvery lavender.

3044 Shell Pink Attractive soft flesh pink; always much wanted.

3045 Purple A rich glowing shade of purple; greatly admired.

3055 Light Rose Could be called deep pink; beautiful color.

3032 Scarlet Rose Most outstanding color; always sure to attract.

3033 White Wonderful form and substance; purest white blooms.

4063 All Colors Mixed A very attractive mixture of all varieties in this popular class. Showy in the garden as well as in bouquets.

> Any of the above Giant Branching Asters: Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.10

#### All Seven Giant Branching Asters

4716 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 7 sep

85¢ arate colors, value \$1.05 for only

W. ATLEE BURPEE CO., Seed Growers

4032 Pompon Asters, All Colors Mixed Pkt, 25é



# **American Beauty ASTERS**

The flowers are 4 in. across, globular, fully double, with prettily incurved petals. Noted for their unusually long stems which make them one of the best for cut-flower purposes. We offer the mid-season type which come into bloom shortly after the Giant Branching. Plants are of branching habit, vigorous, 2 to 21/2 ft. tall.

4415 Blue Beauty An exquisite wisteria-blue shade that is prized for cutting; long stems add to its value. New color in asters.

Pkt. 40¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.90

4427 Burpee's Orchid Beauty The color is best described as orchid-rose—a delightful shade which is entirely distinct from any other color previously available in asters. Lends itself to striking combinations both in the garden and used as a cut flower.

Pkt. 40¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.90

3051 Crimson Deep rich satiny crimson that is most showy.

3052 Dark Lavender Clear, soft azure-blue, A favorite.

3057 Shell Pink Also frequently referred to as flesh pink.

3046 Purple Deep shade of purple. Much admired by everyone. 3056 Carmine Rose A color full of life and sparkle.

3053 White Pure, clear, glistening white. Very profuse blooming.

4033 All Colors Mixed For cutting and grand garden display. Any of the above except Blue Beauty and Orchid Beauty: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

#### All 8 American Beauty Asters

4795 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of all 8 separate colors, long-stemmed, midseason blooming \$2.00

Beauties, value \$2.30 for only

# **Asters of Special Merit**

4437 Bonnie Blue Clear mid-blue flowers of the American Beauty type, 3 in. across freely borne early in the season on sturdy, erect, base branching plants of the Burpeeana Early class. An entire plant may be picked and used as a bouquet. Pkt. 50¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/20 oz. \$2.25

3222 Clinton Blue NEW THIS YEAR Extra early, large, midblue, or perhaps better described as deep azure blue flowers, 4 to 5 in. across, with attractively incurved petals. 18 in. stems.

Pkt. 50¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½8 oz. \$2.25

4405 Debutantes Beautiful, early blooming asters, of erect, and Fluffy types in all colors to be seen in asters. Debutantes are delightfully different from any other mixture. 1½ to 2 ft. Pkt. 50¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25

4029 Heart of France Deep ruby-red blooms—large, well-rounded, and fully double—borne on long stems from mid-season until frost. Grows 18 in. tall. Colorful in garden or bouquets. Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

4356 Powderpuffs, Mixed Colors Flowers, 3 to 3% in across, are freely borne on strong, upright plants from August until early fall. Colors include white, pink, rose, azure, scarlet and lavender tones. Pkt.  $30 \not\in$ ;  $1/2 \times 125$ ;  $1/2 \times 1$ 

4015 Scarlet Pyramid Large, semi-double, bright scarlet flowers, 3 in. across, with showy golden yellow centers. The vigorous, bushy, pyramidal shaped plants are very free blooming from midseason until frost. The plants grow 2 to 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. 85¢;

# **Peony Flowered Asters**

4363 Blue Peony Fully double, incurved peony shaped, azure-blue flowers up to 5 in. across, are freely borne on strong stems-from midsummer until frost. Plants grow to a height of 2 ft. Pkt. 40;; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/20 cs. \$1.85

3149 Pink Peony NEW THIS YEAR Gracefully incurved peony shaped flowers of a delicate shell pink color. Blooms from early August to frost. Erect and vigorous plants. Grow 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 40¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.90

4428 Violet Peony Midsummer cutting variety with 4 in. bright violet flowers that are unmarred by interfering side branches. It is fully double, with incurved peony-like petal formation and excellent centers. Plants grow 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 40¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.90

# Pompon Asters

4032 All Colors Mixed Early blooming type. Plants of uniformly upright, compact growth, about 15 in. tall. Small, round pompon flowers. A mixture of darkest blue, light blue with white center, crimson, fiery scarlet, rose and pure white.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. 81.50

# **Burpeeana Early Asters**

American Beauty-like flowers; erect base branching plants

#### Burpeeana Early Asters

are particularly noteworthy because of their desirable, uniformly upright, compact habit of growth; also because they come into bloom extremely early.

Flowers are globular, double, 3 to 4 in. across, with attractively incurved petals somewhat resembling the American Beauty asters in shape. Ideally suited for cutting and garden purposes.

Burpeeana Early Aster plants are of erect, base branching growth (see picture below), average 20 in. in height, with many stems per plant. Each stem is unusually strong and topped with a flower of splendid form and substance. These terminal flowers come into bloom at about the same time, thus making a grand showing in the garden. The sturdy, upright plants permit close planting so that more can be grown in a given area.

4014 BLUE BOY, dark blue

4035 BLUE SKY, lavender-blue

4034 FIRE LIGHT, scarlet-rose

4025 ROSY MORN, light rose

4024 SNOW BALL, pure white Any of these separate varieties:

Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85; ¼ oz. \$3.50

4833 — SPECIAL: One pkt. each of all five colorful asters shown on this page for only

#### Burpeeana Early Asters 4023 All Colors Mixed

Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. 85°; 1/8 oz. \$1.50; ½ oz. \$2.75

Other Asters, pages 6, 7 and 8



The long, strong, non-lateral stems of Burpeeana Early Asters make them invaluable for cutting; the erect, base branching plants are most attractive in garden beds and borders. 20 in, tall.





Burpee's Curlilocks® Asters

Extra Early, Erect Ostrich Plume Asters

This new type of aster combines rich colors, including some never before seen in asters, with outstanding improvements in plant habit. It is the first extremely early aster with ostrich-plumed flower heads, borne erect on tall, base-branching stems. The large fluffy flowers, 3 to 4 in. across, are made up of gracefully curled petals. Colors range from pure white, light pink, shades of rose, vermillion and crimson to azure blue, deep blue, orchid and violet. Included are bright scarlet, salmon-pink and salmon-rose, colors entirely new to asters. The sturdy plants have 6 to 8 long, strong stems topped with flowers all in bloom at the same time. Plants grow 20 in. tall.

#### **New Separate Colors for 1960**

- 3352 Blue Bonnet A most pleasing, clear mid-blue color.
- 3351 Cerise Scarlet Vivid color entirely new to asters.
- 3326 Lovely Pink Gracefully curled petals of salmon-pink. 3322 Swansdown Fluffy flower heads of purest white.
- 3358 Royal Violet Rich shade that demands attention.

Any of the above: Pkt. 40¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

4445 **Mixed Colors** All the above plus many others, Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

#### All Five Curlilocks Asters

4773—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the five separate colors, value \$2.00 for \$1.50

# Curlilocks Asters. Blue Bonnet Pkt. 40¢

# **Burpeeana Early Asters**

#### Extra Early, Erect, American Beauty Type Asters

Burpeeana Asters come into bloom extremely early. Flowers are globular, double, 3 to 4 in. across, with attractively incurved petals. They are highly prized in the garden and for cutting. Plants are of erect, basebranching growth, average 20 in. in height, with many stems per plant, each stem topped with a flower somewhat resembling the American Beauty in shape. Terminal flowers come into bloom at about the same time, thus making a grand showing in the garden. In our plantings, Burpeeana Asters reach the peak of their bloom two weeks or more earlier than any other asters with the exception of Curlilocks Asters, offered above.

4014 Blue Boy Attractive dark blue.

4035 Blue Sky Lovely lavender-blue.

4034 Fire Light Bright scarlet-rose.

4025 Rosy Morn Exquisite light rose. 4024 Snow Ball Glistening white.

Any of the above Burpeeana Early Asters:

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

PRt. 25¢; ½16 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85 4023 All Colors Mixed Fine blend.

Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. 85¢; ½8 oz. \$1.50

All Five Burpeeana Extra Early Asters

4833—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the five separate colors, 5 pkts, in all, value \$1.25 for only \$1

Curlilocks Asters bring you for the first time, early asters of ostrich plume form topping tall, erect, base-branching stems. Plants are natural bouquets in the garden—may be cut and the entire plant used for making an arrangement inside.







The best of the Giant Plumed Asters as grown by Burpee

Flowers are extra large, 5 in, and more across, of great substance and magnificent form; the long petals are artistically curled and resemble ostrich plumes. Wonderful for garden display; prized for cutting. In bloom from early summer until late midseason. Giant Fluffy Asters grow 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

4028 Fluffy Blue Charming light blue shade. A bright and clear, uniform color.

4022 Fluffy Crimson Luminous crimson of remarkable brilliance. Striking.

4021 Fluffy Purple Warm and attractive shade of deep royal purple. General favorite.

4049 Fluffy Rose Lovely shade of bright but warm rose-pink. Very popular color.

4027 Fluffy White Magnificent, large, glistening white flowers of unusual purity.

4053 All Colors Mixed Attractive blend of all the above five colors of Giant Fluffy Asters. For garden display or arrangements, the colors are unexcelled in their beauty.

Any of the above Burpee Giant Fluffy Asters: Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.50

All Five Burpee Giant Fluffy Asters

4798—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 5 separate colors, value \$1,25 for only

Fordhook Favorite Asters Mixed

4341 The best colors of our favorite types carefully blended in a mixture to furnish gorgeous blooms for garden display and cutting during the summer and fall. The plants grow 2 to 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. 85¢;

# **Giant Crego Asters**

Also known as Giant Branching Comet

Large flowers, 4 to 5 in. across, with long, ribbon-like, gracefully Large nuwers, 4 to 5 in. across, with long, riboon-like, gracefully curled and twisted petals, giving them a lovely shaggy appearance. Giant Cregos are long stemmed and fine for cutting. The plants are strong growing, of branching habit, 2 ft. tall and bloom in mid-season. One of the most popular for all purposes. They are beautiful in the garden as well as in cut flower arrangements.

4039 Azure Blue Soft, pleasing shade of light azure-blue.

4037 Blue Flame Bright navy blue; excellent aster color. 4042 Crimson Rich and velvety; a striking, vivid red color.

3031 Enchantress Charming, bright salmon-rose shade.

4012 Shell Pink A soft and refined blush pink; beautiful.

4018 Deep Rose Always in demand for its attractive color. 4011 White Splendid combined with dark colors or alone.

4043 All Colors Mixed Many colors, including the above.

Any of the above: Pkt. 20¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

**Five Giant Creao Asters** Azure Blue, Blue Flame, Crimson, Shell Pink and White

4793 — SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 5 separate colors, value \$1.00 for only

**Asters on Parade** 

4036 Best Giants Mixed Special blend of all the best colors 4036 **Best Giants Mixed** Special blend of all the best could of giant flowering asters, including American Beauty, California Giants, Giant Branching, Giant Crego, Giant Fluffy and others, Grand mixture providing succession of blooms through the season. A good way to have many types at minimum cost. **Pxt**. **Plants** grow 2 to 2½ ft, tall. **16.02**, **2.85**; **17.40**, **22.54**. Plants grow 2 to 21/2 ft. tall.

### California Giant Asters

Handsomely Curled and Interlaced

California Giants combine the plume or feathered type of flower with the long straight stems of the American Beauty class. The large, double flowers with long, attractively curled petals grow 5 in, and more in diameter, on stems 1½ to 2 ft. long. Plants are vigorous, freely branching, grow 2½ ft. tall and bloom profusely from late midseason until frost. Where summers are short, start inside.

3028 Apple Blossom Beautiful shell-pink. Very popular shade. 3027 Light Blue Soft, clear azure-blue that is most appealing.

3039 Crimson A rather rich showy color that is full of life. 3021 Dark Purple An attractive shade for cutting or garden.

3009 Deep Rose Delightful tone of beautiful dark rose-pink.

3016 White Combines well with colors above and is nice alone. 4031 All Colors Mixed Marvelous blend of all these colors.

Any of the above California Giant Double Asters: Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

#### All Six California Giant Double Asters Apple Blossom, Light Blue, Crimson, Dark Purple, Deep Rose and White

4797 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 6 colors; immense, long-stemmed flowers, value \$1.50 for only

#### CONTINUOUS DISPLAY WITH **BURPEE'S ASTERS**

A continuous display from early summer until frost can be had by planting Extra Early Curlilocks and Burpeeana with midseason and later blooming varieties. Asters are long lasting, wonderful for cutting. They prefer rich, welldrained soil and a sunny location.

#### BURPEE'S ASTER GARDEN

Burpeeana Extra Early All Colors Mixed American Beauty Red, White and Blue Giant Crego Enchantress (salmon-rose) Giant Branching All Colors Mixed

4705—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 6 named asters, 4 different types, value \$1.35 for only



THE FIRST GIANT SUMMER FLOWERING HYBRID DOUBLE SNAPDRAGONS

All Created on Burpee's Floradale Seed Farms

Supreme Snapdragons are the most sensational snaps we have ever seen. They will bring to your garden all the vigor, flower quality and rich color of a true first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid. The summer-flowering Supremes are characterized by fully double flowers, superior to any other doubles and are borne on long tapering spikes. Large flowers with many extra petals gracefully ruffled create the completely double blossoms. You will welcome the Supremes as cutting flowers. Their strong stems make them easy to arrange and the long-lasting quality of the flower spikes adds extra life to bouquets. Vigorous growth and healthy, dark foliage make them superior bedding plants. Spikes 3 ft. tall.

4412 Vanguard All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Long, tapered, full spikes of rich cerise-rose flowers, prettily waved and ruffled. Side spikes have almost main spike height.

3014 **Highlife** Delightful, waved and ruffled, cream colored flowers with yellow lips borne on a graceful central spike, followed by many laterals of almost equal quality.

3017 Venus Flowers of clear, soft pink enhanced by a yellow lip, a lovely combination that attracts attention in the garden or when cut. Many beautifully tapered spikes.
Any of above Supreme F<sub>1</sub> Hybrid Double Snapdragons;

# Pkt. \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.85; 1000 seeds \$4.50 All Three F, Hybrid Supreme Snapdragons

Shown in color on front cover

Vanguard (cerise-rose), Highlife (cream) and Venus (pink)

—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 3 colors of the new Supreme

822—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 3 colors of the new Supreme Snapdragons, the first F<sub>1</sub> Hybrid Double Snaps, value \$3.00 for

#### Cream Puff Double Snapdragon

3011 Cream Puff NEW THIS VEAR The large, cream colored blossoms puff out with many extra frilled petals to create extremely full and graceful doubling and are perfectly set on the long, symmetrically tapered spikes to show them off to best advantage. Plants are sturdy and neat with base-branching habit. Cream Puff is equally appealing when cut or in garden. 3 ft. tall. Pkt. 50€; 1/42 oz. \$2.00; 1/46 oz. \$3.75

#### **Glamour Shades Double Snapdragons**

New pastel mixture of double, summer-flowering, tall Snapdragons

3006 NEW THIS YEAR This delicate blend of glamorous pastels-cream, pink and yellow enhanced by a pink flush—will beautify any garden and be equally nice for cutting. The large, fully double blossoms with gracefully ruffled extra petals highlight the lovely colors. Good base-branching with many strong lateral flower spikes continues the flowering over a long period of time. 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. 50¢; 1/42 oz. \$2.50; 1/46 oz. \$4.75

#### Rocket Snapdragons For 1960-All-America Winners

The outstanding feature of this new series of giant snapdragons is its ability to withstand hot summers. The plants bloom late with typical hybrid vigor and uniformity, producing robust plants with long spikes and closely set flowers. 2% to 3 ft. tall. Each Rocket Snap is a true first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid.

3148 Bronze Rocket 3146 Gold Rocket 3121 Red Rocket 3036 Orchid Rocket 3122 Rose Rocket 3038 White Rocket

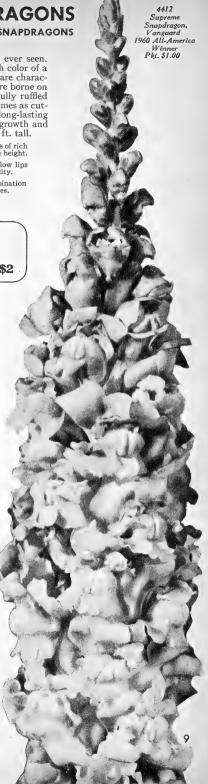
Any of the above Rocket Snapdragons:

Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.40; 1/128 oz. \$5.00; 1/64 oz. \$9.50

4235 Rocket Mixed Each of the above colors blended in a lively mixture. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½28 oz. \$5.00; 364 oz. \$9.50

4235 Snapdragon, Rocket Mixed Pkt. 50¢







# Burpee's Tetra Snaps Giant Ruffled Tetraploid Snapdragons

ALL ORIGINATED ON BURPEE'S FLORADALE FARMS

Tetra snaps are a Burpee scientific creation, originated through the treatment of the best regular or diploid varieties with colchicine—a drug or chemical derived from the bulbs of fall crocus. Genetically, they are known as tetraploids, for, when examined under the microscope, they have twice the number of chromosomes in their cells as the regular or diploid snapdragons.

Burpee's Giant Tetra Snapdragons are extremely large and attractively ruffled. Plants are exceptionally strong and husky, with glossy, dark green foliage, thick and almost leathery in texture; the stems are quite heavy. Under general field-conditions the central spikes grow 2 ft. and more in height; these are surrounded by lateral spikes of lesser height. Base branching plants. Tetra Snaps are wonderful for cutting.

3495 Tetra Candlelight Clear, bright yellow, nicely formed, well placed flowers are freely borne on strong, erect spikes. Extremely rich and beautiful.

4267 Tetra Crimson Very large, deep but bright, velvety crimson flowers closely set on long, broad, tapering spikes above dark green, thick foliage.

4269 Tetra Pink Shades Exquisite variations from shell-pink to deep rose. The tapering spikes are filled with large, nicely formed, well placed flowers.

3499 Tetra Shades of Rose Especially selected for those who prefer the clearer, deeper shades of rose for their garden. A most appealing blend.

4258 Tetra White Creamy white changing to pure white with age; primrose throat which adds to the beauty of the large, attractively formed flowers.

Any of the above Burpee Giant Tetra Snapdragons:

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.75; 1/16 oz. \$3.25

3015 **Tetra Vesuvius** A striking addition to the Giant Ruffled Tetra Snaps—a warm shade of orange with a rosy flush on buds and tubes of the large flowers.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½2 oz. \$2.00; ½6 oz. \$3.75

4253 **Tetra Snaps Mixed** Every color known in this glorious flower, plus some new ones, and others of harmonious tone blendings; a most sensational snapdragon mixture which has been acclaimed by home gardeners and florists alike as unexcelled for garden decoration and cut-flower purposes. Pkt. 25¢ 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.75

Five Giant Ruffled Tetra Snaps
Tetra Candlelight, Tetra Crimson, Tetra White
Tetra Pink Shades and Tetra Shades of Rose
4764—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 5 separate
4764—Tetra Snap varieties, value \$1.75 for only

# Other Snapdragons of Special Merit

3484 Burpee's Velvet Giant All-America Bronze Medal Winner. An outstanding snapdragon, 2½ ft. tall, with 6 to 12 towering spikes of very large velvety, deep crimson flowers with an interesting undertone of orange-bronze.

4373 Floradale Rose Long, tapering spikes covered with bright rose-pink flowers with a pleasing soft yellow blotch on the palate. Individual flowers are numerous, and make up into a towering spike of beauty, 2 ft, and more tall.

4255 **Happiness** Companion to Snow White and like it for base branching habit, Spikes are 2 ft. long, tapering, 5 to 7 per plant and all bloom at about the same time. The light yellow flowers are highly desirable for cutting and garden.

4262 Snow White Long, tapering spikes of exquisite pure white flowers that are most showy in the garden and excellent for cutting. The base-branching spikes are covered with flowers for about one-half their length. Grow 2 ft, tall.

Any of the above Burpee Snapdragons of Special Merit: Pkt. 25¢; 148 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.75

4439 Magic Wand Beautifully tapered spikes, bearing large, clear, light yellow flowers, in slightly open arrangement, for nearly half the height of the stem. The color is a pastel, yet distinct, clear shade of yellow which gives a cool touch that is nice in garden borders and arrangements. Grow 3½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 50; ½2 co. \$2.200; ¼e oz. \$3.75

#### **Snapdragon Mixtures**

4273 Tall Giant, Rust-Resistant Mixed The spikes grow 2 to 3 ft. tall, the upper 10 to 12 in. of which are thickly studded with gorgeous blooms of exquisite form. Base branching plants are prized for borders and cutting.

Pkt. 15¢; ¾6 cx. 50¢; ⅓ cx. 95¢

3464 Snapdragons-on-Parade® Special mixture of the best colors of tall giant snaps for display and cutting. Includes Tetras, Sentinels, etc. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 75¢; ½6 oz. 75.25

Burpee's Sentinel Snapdragons
Giant, tall, erect snapdragons that stand up like sentinels

Spectacular snapdragon spikes for outdoor growing with the best flower retention of any snaps we have developed.

All created on Burpee's Floradale Seed Farms.

Well grown plants have spikes of as many as 100 flowers and buds, with up to 40 flowers fully open at one time. The base-branching plants are vigorous and the long, strongtipped spikes are a joy to behold in the garden or cut. 3 ft.

3245 Cavalier Warm orange flushed rose. Brilliant color.

3248 Commander Clear rich crimson for stunning accent.

3271 Guardsman Tall tapered spikes of clear yellow.

3306 Majorette A charming and appealing light pink.

Any of the above Giant, tall, erect Sentinel Snapdragons: Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½2 oz. \$2.00: ¼6 oz. \$3.75

3223 Color Guard, All Colors Blended The above and other colors. Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; ½2 oz. \$1.85; ½6 oz. \$3.50

#### **All 4 Named Giant Sentinel Snapdragons**

Cavalier (orange), Commander (crimson), Guardsman (yellow) and Majorette (pink)

4738—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 4 colors of Sentinel Snaps, value \$2.00 for only \$1.50

#### **Burpee's Tip Top Snapdragons**

4396 Tip Top Mixed, Maximum Giant Rust-Resistant Main stem grows up to 4 ft. in height and the many lateral stems, coming from the base of the plant, are nearly as tall so that a plant in full bloom is a sight to behold. Tip Top Snapdragons are of uniform habit, each spike beautifully tapered with many large, gracefully placed individual flowers open at one time. Plantings in the garden are especially showy and for cut flowers they cannot be praised too highly. Colors include soft pink, crimson, orange-rose, yellow and white. Plat.

1/4 so Cx \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.00;

### Burpee's Extra Early Hybrid Snaps

4254 Mixed Colors Come into bloom while others are only in bud—especially important in sections with short summers. Colors from dark red, cherry-crimson, rose-pink to light pink, lavender, golden yellow to primrose, white and many other shades and color combinations. Spikes are well formed; flowers are large and nicely placed. Under good growing conditions plants grow 2 ft. and more tall.

They are ideally suited for beds, borders and cutting. Pkt. 25¢
½6 oz. \$1.25; ½6 oz. \$2.25

#### **SNAPDRAGONS**

These exquisite flowers have always been universal favorites for color in the garden, in the greenhouse during the winter, and as cut flowers. Of easiest culture, succeeding best in rich or moderately rich soil—in full sun or semi-shade. The gorgous flowers are freely produced for several months, and until frost where conditions are favorable. Sow seed outdoors when soil has become quite warm; for earlier blooms sow the seed indoors six weeks before your regular outdoor planting time, and transplant the seedlings when the soil has become warm.

Recording data on snapdragons at Burpee's Floradale Farms. Old Giants in foreground and the improved, taller Tip Top Snaps in back.







#### **Swiss Giant Pansies**

Plants are of strong and robust growth while the flowers are unusually large, perfectly round, with overlapping petals of heavy substance and borne freely on long, sturdy stems well above the rich green foliage. Effective in the garden; lovely for cutting.

3341 Alpenglow Rich, velvety Indian-red blooms showing a large, contrasting dark blotch on each of the three lower petals. The reddest and most brilliant of all pansies. Always attracts.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½6 oz. \$1.75; ½6 oz. \$3.25

3344 Swiss Blue Large, well-rounded blooms of a vivid shade of blue, with a blue-black blotch in the center. Most effective in edgings and borders either alone or with Coronation Gold.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.75; 1/2 oz. \$3.25

3386 Swiss Orange Varies from apricot at the edges of petals to pure deep orange in the center; general color is a beautiful orange. Most refined color without blotches or other markings.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.75; 1/2 oz. \$3.25

4229 Swiss Giant Blotched Mixed The flowers are of gigantic size, and come in a lively range of colors including red, salmon, pink, wine-red, blue, yellow and rare rose shades practically unknown heretofore in pansies. Sure to please.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½6 oz. \$1.75; ½6 oz. \$3.25

4229 Swiss Giant Blotched Mixed Pansies Pkt. 50¢



# **Burpee's Giant PANSIES**

Pansies always have been a great specialty with us and we are justly proud of our strains. Their wide range of colors, markings and forms, their easy culture, have made Burpee pansies universally popular. Pansies succeed best in fairly rich, well-drained soil in a sunny position, and produce their finest flowers in the cool, early days of spring. Keep flowers picked during the summer, plants pinched back to produce new growth and flowers in early fall. Seeds may be sown outdoors when soil has become warm; for earlier blooms, start seed indoors or in a hotbed four to six weeks before your usual outdoor planting time.

#### 4222 Floradale Giants Mixed

Burpee's outstanding strain of giant pansies developed over a period of years through breeding, close and careful selection. The range of colors is unusually large, including reds, yellows, blues, etc., the majority attractively blotched with contrasting shades. Many of the blooms are nicely waved and fluted. Plants are well-rounded and profuse bloomers. Unsurpassed blend. Pkt. \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.75; 1/16 oz. \$2.50; 1/26 oz. \$4.50

#### 4359 Color Carnival Mixed

An excellent mixture of special merit. Flowers are very large, slightly waved, mostly blotched or have nicely blended colors on the petals. Plants are of uniforn, compact habit of growth. Pkt. \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.75; 1/16 oz. \$2.50; 1/16 oz. \$4.50

#### 3385 Coronation Gold—Yellow

All-America Silver Medal Winner. Canary-yellow with the lower All-America Silver Medal Winner. Canary-Senow with the Swepetals flushed golden orange. Flowers grow 3 in. across, are round, with lightly ruffled edges and have a mild, spicy scent. Highly prized for cutting; effective in borders and edgings alone or in combination with Swiss Blue. Lovely pansy of charming form and beauty; the texture of the flowers is very substantial.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½6 oz. \$1.75; ½6 oz. \$3.25

#### 3353 Oregon Giants Mixed

Extra long stemmed, giant, fragrant flowers, the petals gracefully waved and ruffled at the edge. A wonderful range of choice colors, especially rich in light colors—light blue, yellow, red and shades of raspberry, lavender and purple with many nicely blotched. Early. Pkt.  $75 \not\in$ ; 2 pkts. \$1.25;  $1 \not\in$  0z. \$2.25;  $1 \not\in$  0z. \$4.25

#### 4237 Steele's® Jumbo Mixed

Immense flowers in a well-balanced color blend of blue, purple, Immense flowers in a well-balanced color blend of blue, purple, bronze, yellow, red and primrose shades, in addition to multi-color combinations. Some are beautifully blotched or bordered. White, bronze shades and lawender in limited quantities. Plants bloom early and bear profusely throughout a long season. Stems are long and strong. Superb blend of many nunsual colors, Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.25; ½6 oz. \$2.25; ½6 oz. \$4.25

#### 4204 Burpee Blend, Giant Fancy

A carefully prepared mixture of the highest quality. Plants are selected for their vigor and the way they hold their flowers above the foliage; blooms are very large, many waved, some with crinkled edges. Colors are beautiful and varied, including many that are very interestingly blotched with contrasting shades.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½6 oz. \$1.75; ½6 oz. \$3.25

#### Super Swiss Giant Pansies

4225 Special Mixture Largest flowers in all the vivid, rare and most outstanding shades of blue, purple, red, bronze, yellow and primrose. We have also included some of the five-blotched varieties that are so beautiful to further enhance the color assortment. The marvelous Swiss Pansies cannot be praised too highly. Most effective in beds and borders, and very desirable for cutting. Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.25; ½6 oz. \$2.25; ½6 oz. \$4.25

#### Trimardeau Bedding Pansies

4223 All Colors Mixed Where color effect is more important than size of bloom, this mixture will be found highly desirable for beds, borders and edgings as plants are compact, extremely free blooming, of neat habit, and very hardy. Flowers are large, borne on strong, stiff stems long enough for cutting. Excellent blend of colors, some prettily blotched, others margined and variegated.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75

# **Dwarf Double French MARIGOLDS**

Exquisite blooms, 1% to 2 in, across, in orange, yellow and mahogany, as well as combinations of these colors. French Marigoids should be grown in soil that is not overly rich. Burpee's Dwarf Double French Marigoids are 6 to 18 in. tall according to variety and locality where planted.

4138 Butterball All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Canary-yellow, scabiosa-like flowers, 1 ¾ in, across, 8 in, tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ⅓ oz. 75¢; ⅓ oz. \$1.25

3173 Color Magic Bright colors of red and gota with many striped and mottled combinations of these colors. The flowers are fully double, about 2 in, across; only 8 in, tall.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75

3184 Flame NEW THIS YEAR Flowers open deep scarlet and turn to rich tangerine with the petals strikingly accented by a goldedge. Flowers are fully double, 1½ to 2 in. across. 10 in. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.75

4115 Lemon Drop Clear lemon-yellow, double flowers, 1½ in. across freely borne on compact 9 in. plants, Early, Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.75

4164 Rusty Red Highly Commended by The Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Large attractive rusty red flowers, 2 in. and more across. Plants grow 1½ ft. tall. Pkt. 35¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.75

4114 Spry All-America Silver Medal Winner and Highly Commended by The Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Flowers are 1½ to 1½ in. across, with bright yellow pin-cushion center crests surrounded by mahogany-red guard petals. 9 in.

Pkt. 25½; ½ oz. 75½; ½ oz. \$1.25

3212 Sunkist All-America Silver Medal Winner. Attractive deep orange flowers, 1½ to 2 in. across. Ideal for bedding, borders, edgings and pot culture. Lovely, 6 to 8 in. Pkt. 25¢; ½ 0z. 75¢; ¼ 0z. \$1.25

4165 Tangerine Highly Commended by The Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Bright tangerine-orange flowers 2 in. across, cover the mound-like plants, 15 in. Land. Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.75

4145 Dwarf Double French, Mixed Colors The plants are covered with flowers of many colors, 15 in. tall. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; ¼ oz. 70¢

4167 Burpee's Best Mixture Blend of unusual colors; choicest varieties, self-colored, spotted striped. Prized for borders and cutting. 15 in. ½ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25



4372 Pygmy Primrose Dwarf Double French Marigold Pht. 25¢

#### BURPEE'S PYGMY MARIGOLDS

Fully rounded, double flowers,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. across are freely borne above dwarf compact plants 6 to 8 in. tall. Early summer till frost. Lovely as edgings along walks, grass paths or to taller marigolds or other plants.

4389 Fireglow Bright mahogany-scarlet flowers with golden centers. Sure to make a bright display wherever it is planted. Grow 6 in. high. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ 6x. \$1.00; ¼ 0x. \$1.90

4394 Helen Chapman The attractive flowers are of a rich gold color with a small red fleck near the base of the petals. Plants grow 8 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¾ oz. \$1.90

4372 Pygmy Primrose Full, double primrose-yellow flowers which when young show a red base; the center slightly curled. Grow 6 in. high. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ 6c. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75

4166 Yellow Pygmy All-America Winner. Lemon-yellow, pompon-like flowers a little smaller than above, 1 in. across. Plants grow 8 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ 0z. 75¢; ¼ 0z. \$1.25

4434 Pygmy Mixed Delightful blend of the popular dwarf Pygmy marigolds including primrose, yellow, mahogany-scarlet with gold center. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.90

#### Dwarf Signet Marigold (Tagetes signata pumila)

4155 Golden Ring Free-flowering dwarf plants, 10 in. tall, with fine, lacy foliage and hundreds of small golden-orange flowers always open at one time. For edgings and rock gardens Signet Marigolds are unsurpassed. Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

#### PETITE DWARF DOUBLE FRENCH MARIGOLDS

Petite Gold, Petite Harmony and Petite Orange are All-America Bronze Medal Winners

Extra dwarf, uniformly even, very early and extremely flori-ferous Marigolds for borders and mass effects. Very compact plants only 6 in, high and 10 in. wide are completely covered with flowers, which grow 1 in. across.

3127 Petite Gold Charming flowers of clear golden yellow.

3128 Petite Harmony A beautiful bicolor with rich, deep mahogany guard petals that surround a gold crested center.

3117 Petite Orange Showy bright orange flowers are borne above the foliage all season.

3311 Petite Yellow Clear, strong yellow without markings.

3224 Petite Mixed Each of above colors in a nice mixture.

Any of the above Petite Marigolds: Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.00

# **Dwarf Single French Marigolds**

For a striking display in beds, borders and edgings, the single French Marigolds are hard to beat. Nice for cutting. Height varies from 1 to 1½ ft, depending on the individual variety used and the locality where it is planted.

4133 Flash All-America Silver Medal Winner. Gay, single flowers, 134 in. and more across, in a bright combination of colors which range from vivid red through bronze and yellow. In most of the flowers a base color of tangerine is overlaid with rich marigold-red. Plants grow 18 in. tall.

4141 Naughty Marietta All-America Winner; Award of Meril, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Wide open, single flowers, 2½ in. across; rich golden yellow attractively blotched maroon at base of the petals. They are freely borne on compact plants 1 ft. tall; gay subjects for beds, borders and edgings. Early and continuous bloomer. Prized for cutting.

4148 Red Head All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Single 2 in. flowers, made up of a crested center of golden petals edged maroon and surrounded by a single row of broad petals which open a rich mahogany changing to auburn and later to attractive shades of bronze and gold. Mature plants are 1 ft. high.

4146 Sunny Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Cheerful, single, bright yellow flowers, about 2 in. across with delicate cerise markings at base of petals. 15 in.

Any of the above Dwarf Single French Marigolds: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

## 4 French Marigolds

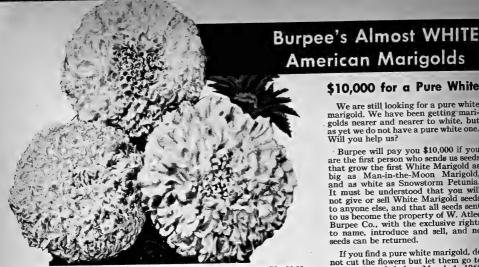
Naughty Marietta and Ruffled Red (single) Pygmy Mixed and Spry (double)

4771 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of all four, 85¢

4144 Ruffled Red Flowers grow about 134 in. across, open rich mahogany with a contrasting golden edging, thus adding to the beauty of the prettily ruffled blooms. Change to deep orange. Pkt. 25¢ Grow 1 ft. tall. ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

4144 Ruffled Red Marigold Pkt. 256





3244 Burpee's Miracle Marigolds, Hybrids of Nearest-to-White Selections Pkt. \$1.00

#### 3244 Burpee's Miracle Marigolds

New Hybrids of Nearest-to-White Selections for 1960

Miracle Marigolds will contain many big, fully double, pale primrose flowers, of good form in carnation, peony or chrysanthemum flowered types of American marigolds. Because they are hybrids there will be great variation in color, as well as in other respects, and you will have some wonderful flowers in your garden that no one has ever seen before. And perhaps you may be the one to discover a pure white marigold. The plants vary in height from 2 to 3 ft.

These seeds possess strong nearest-to-white factors, carefully refined by Burpee breeders through thousands of cross pollinations in the hunt for the White Marigold. Making this high quality seed available to gardeners everywhere, enlists thousands of helpers capable of testing a greater number of seeds under various climatic conditions. Different climatic conditions can influence the combination of genetic factors which will produce the White Marigold.

Pkt. \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.75; 1/16 oz. \$4.00

# Results of the 1959 "White Marigold" Trials

David Burpee, President, W. Atlee Burpee Co., renewed the \$10,000 offer following the results of the 1959 White Manigold Trials at Floradale Farms, Lompoc, California. Though none of the 254 entries from 32 states produced the desired bloom, the judges made special awards of \$100 to each of five entries which showed exceptional tendencies toward white. Next year may be the last time for Burpee to offer to pay \$10,000.

The \$100 awards by the Burpee Seed Co. were given to Mrs. Tony Joe Corteze, Route 4, Box 150, Pueblo, Colorado; Mrs. Dessie O. McKinney, P.O. Box 23, Mount Summit, Indiana; Mrs. C. H. Root, 931 Wayne Avenue, Greenville, Ohio; Mrs. Henry Saxe, 327 W. Sedgwick Street, Mt. Airy, Philadelphia 19, Pa. and Mrs. Ophelia White, 505 Richmond Road, Rockingham, North Carolina.

Road, Rockingham, North Carolina.

The 1959 "White Marigold" judges, pictured below, from left to right are David Burpee, Dr. V. T. Stoutemyer and Dr. R. E. Larson. White Marigold Judge Dr. V. T. Stoutemyer, Chairman, Department of Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture, University of California, expressed amazement at the rapid progress made in the short period of five years by Burpee toward developing a pure White Marigold.

Dr. R. E. Larson, head of the Department of Horticulture, Pennsylvania State University, complimented the keen observation and interest displayed by American gardeners in selecting Marigolds that are very near to white.

Judging "White Marigold" trials at Floradale Farms



#### \$10,000 for a Pure White

We are still looking for a pure white marigold. We have been getting mari-golds nearer and nearer to white, but as yet we do not have a pure white one. Will you help us?

Burpee will pay you \$10,000 if you are the first person who sends us seeds that grow the first White Marigold as big as Man-in-the-Moon Marigold, and as white as Snowstorm Petunia. It must be understood that you will not give or sell White Marigold seeds to anyone else, and that all seeds sent to us become the property of W. Atlee Burpee Co., with the exclusive rights to name, introduce and sell, and no seeds can be returned.

If you find a pure white marigold, do not cut the flowers but let them go to seed and send, before March 1, 1960 or 1961, about 100 seeds to us at Philadelphia 32, Pa., Clinton, Iowa, or Riverside, California. We will plant the marigold seeds on our Floradale the marigoid seeds on our Horadale Farms and the results will be judged by the President of the W. Atlee Burpee Co. and two other distinguished horticulturists. The decision of the majority of the judges will be final, and the results will be announced in our and extense. in our seed catalogs.

In this world-wide search for a pure white marigold, anyone, anywhere, may submit seeds except Burpee employees or their families. It is understood that all seeds submitted for trial are accepted by us only under the above conditions.



4151 Marigold, Man-in-the-Moon Pkt. 254

#### 4151 Man-in-the-Moon Marigold

The vigorous plants grow to a height of 3 ft. and bear an abundance of solid, round, carnation-like blooms 3 to 3 1/2 in. across composed of broad, crisply ruffled, taffeta-like, pale moon-yellow petals with lighter highlights. Excellent for garden display as well as cutting. Pkt. 25¢; 1/10; 1/2 oz. \$1.85

W. ATLEE BURPEE CO.

# Carnation Flowered MARIGOLDS

3096 Fancy Frills Bright, deep golden orange flowers with nicely frilled petals. A profusion of well-rounded flowers, 3½ in. across, are borne above the erect, bushy foliage. Plants grow 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 50€; 1/46 oz. \$1.50; 1/46 oz. \$2.75; 1/46 oz. \$5.00

3263 Burpee Primrose Highly Commended by The Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Soft, primrose-yellow flowers, 3½ in. across, of distinctive, carnation-like shape. Plants 22 in. tall.

4162 Indian Chief The brilliant reddish-orange color of this variety is outstanding among the big Marigolds, Flowers are of the informal type,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 in. across with nicely ruffled petals.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

4158 Riverside Beauty Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Full double, carnation-flowered, picric-yellow, the individual petals are beautifully fluted and ruffled, giving a thick flower-head 4 in. and more across. The vigorous plants grow 2 ft. tall.

4152 Smiles An early blooming marigold with bright golden yellow flowers, 3 in. and more across, with wonderful substance. The graceful, peony-like blooms, have broadly ruffled, wax-like petals. 3 ft. tall.

4147 Carnation Flowered Mixed The above and other varieties of which we do not have enough seed to offer separately. Great favorities for cutting and for the border. Grow from 20 to 30 in. tall.

Any of the above except Fancy Frills: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

All 5 Carnation Flowered Marigolds Burpee Primrose, Fancy Frills, Indian Chief, Riverside Beauty and Smiles

4818 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 5 separate named varieties, value \$1.50 for only

# Burpee's Marigolds with Odorless Foliage

3221 Burpee Gold Award-of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Carnation-like bright orange flowers 3½ to 4 in. across. Petals are long and arranged rather loosely which is most attractive. Plants have ordorless foliage. Burpee Gold is a profuse bloomer. 2½ ft.

3226 Crown of Gold Improved All-America Gold Medal Winner. Highly Commended by The Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Bright orange-gold, collarette flowers 2 in. across are freely borne on stocky, odorless foliaged plants 2 ft. tall. Distinct shape.

4131 Frills Frilly carnation-like marigold with odorless foliage. Flowers grow 3½ in. across, clear, vivid mid- or golden orange with petals beautifully frilled and waved. Plants grow 2 ft. tall.

4182 Mixed Carnation Flowered Marigolds with Odorless Foliage Deep orange, golden orange, golden yellow, canary-yellow, and primrose flowers in a grand mixture. 2 to 2½ ft.

4136 Special Mixture of the collarette, carnation and chrysanthemum flowered types in all colors. Odorless foliage. 20 to 30 in. tall.

Any of the above Marigolds with Odorless Foliage: Pkt, 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

Marigolds with odorless foliage make a beautiful table decoration.





3096 Fancy Frills Marigold Pht. 50¢

#### Sun Giants Marigolds

4163 Burpee Blend Flowers are very large, many 4½ in across. They are mostly of the carnation type, others sponge-like, Color range varies from pale primrose through many tones to deep orange. Prized for cutting. Plants grow 3 to 3½ ft. tall. Pkt. 25; ½ 02.75; ¼ 02. \$1.25

#### Crackerjack Marigolds

4212 Mixed One of the first large-flowered marigolds to bloom. Uniformly double flowers similar to Sun Giants in appearance, 4 to 5 in. across, in a full range of colors. Plants grow 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.75

#### **Best Giant Marigolds**

4168 Mixed Remarkable for the wide color range and flowers of different shapes, some 5 in. across. Profuse. 2½ to 3 ft. tall. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½ 0z. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75

#### **Double Ball Marigolds**

Attractive, ball-shaped, quilled or sponge-like flowers on long cutting stems. For years, this type was known as African. Plants bloom freely from midsummer until frost and grow 3 ft. tall.

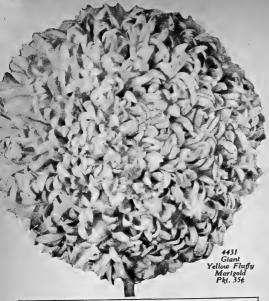
3246 Lemon Ball Large, bright canary-yellow flowers of most wonderful substance. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

3267 Orange Ball Bright, glowing orange, exquisitely formed flowers on strong stems. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

4169 Double Marigolds, Mixed Colors The above double ball varieties and other types in a grand mixture.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ 0z. 40¢; ¼ 0z. 75¢

Other Marigolds offered on the next 2 pages



#### MARIGOLDS ON PARADE®

3233 Special Mixture of different named big American marigolds that provide a glorious display of orange, yellow and red shad bighly prized for cut flowers. An excellent way to get many marigold types at a saving. Plants grow 2 to 2½ ft. tall. Pkt. 25½; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. 815.6

# MARIGOLD THE AMERICAN FLOWER

When Cortez conquered Mexico he found Marigolds growing in the gardens there. Marigolds are native to southwestern United States and Mexico.

Cortez took seed to Europe and they rapidly became the favorite flower for the devout to place at the altar of the Virgin Mary. This is how they got the name, "Mary's Gold", and then "Marigold." The big ones (Tagetes erecta) used to be called African Marigolds, but now we call them American, which they are. The little one (Tagetes patula) are called French Marigolds, although they also are natives of the American continent and nowhere else in the world.

Our president, David Burpee, has suggested that Congress adopt the American Marigold as our National Floral Emblem. The United States is the only great country in the world that does not have a National Flower. Others have suggested the Rose, Carnation, Corn Tassel and Grass. But for hundreds of years the Rose has been the floral emblem of England, and it is the floral emblem of eight other countries, four of which have fallen behind the iron curtain since selecting the Rose as their emblem. The Carnation is the national floral emblem of Spain. The Corn Tassel is not a perfect flower and is not grown especially for its beauty. As for grass, who would want to walk on the National Floral Emblem?

The American Marigold has much in its favor—it is easy to grow from seed and does well in every state of the Union, even as far north as Alaska and in the tropical clime of Hawaii. The Marigold can be an ambassador of good will for the United States to every civilized country in the world for it is popular in all of them. It is called by some "Flower of Good Luck" or "The Friendship Flower."

# Burpee's Giant Fluffy Marigolds—Flowers 3 to 3 1/2 in. across

Giant Fluffy Marigolds are a delightful type of chrysanthemum-flowered marigolds. The well-rounded flowers of Yellow Fluffy and Golden Fluffy have gracefully interlaced, loosely arranged petals which gives them an informal, graceful, "fluffy" appearance.

Fluffy marigolds are available in the best marigold colors—bright yellow, golden and deep orange. The giant double flowers, 3 to 3½ in. across, have excellent centers and are borne on strong stems well above the foliage. They are wonderful for cutting and are most attractive in the garden alone or combined with others.

Giant Fluffy Marigolds are one of the earliest types of all American Marigolds, blooming abundantly from early midsummer until killing frost. Plant habit is upright, vigorous and quite uniform. Grow 2½ ft. tall.

4431 Yellow Fluffy
4432 Orange Fluffy
4435 Golden Fluffy
4435 Golden Fluffy
4436 Golden Lively, pleasing golden yellow.

Any of the above Giant Fluffy Marigolds: Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/2 oz. \$2.25

4433 Giant Fluffy Mixture Each of the above 3 separate colors plus other shades in a nice blend, Pkt. 25¢ 46 oz. \$1.00; 1/2 oz. \$1.95

#### All Three Burpee Giant Fluffy Marigolds

Yellow Fluffy, Golden Fluffy and Orange Fluffy
4857—SPECIAL: One pkt. each, of the above 75¢

# Burpee's Mammoth Mum Marigolds—Flowers 3½ in. and more across

Giant flowered chrysanthemum-like blooms of most attractive form. In addition to making a striking display in the garden, they will be a rich source of attractive cut flowers from midseason until frost. 3 ft. tall. For earlier blooms, start seeds indoors several weeks before your usual outdoor planting time.

4421 Golden Mum The unusual, glowing golden yellow color of the flowers make it most desirable for garden and cutting.

4365 Orange Mum Clear, vivid, rich orange blooms with more curly petal tips; flowers larger and broader than others.

4422 **Primrose Mum** The first soft primrose color in the Mammoth Mum Marigolds. Exquisite, loosely interwoven petals.

4143 Yellow Mum The original Mammoth Mum. The blooms are extra large, ball-like and a light sulfur-yellow color. Florets are intricately intertwined in true mum form.

4423 Mammoth Mum Marigolds, Mixed Colors A delightful blend of the full color array found in the giant chrysanthemum flowered marigolds. Plants grow 3 ft. tall.

Any of the above Burpee Mammoth Mum Marigolds: Pkt. 25¢; 46 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85

#### All Four Burpee Mammoth Mum Marigolds

Golden Mum, Orange Mum, Primrose Mum and Yellow Mum

4855—SPECIAL: One pkt. each, of the above 75¢

3172 Spun Gold NEW THIS YEAR All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Bright golden yellow flowers profusely borne on dwarf, bushy plants 1 ft. tall. The colorful blooms are 2½ in. across and fully double with the petals nicely incurved. It is an early flowering erect marigold that is well suited for beds and borders. Pkt. 50¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.50; ½ oz. \$2.75; ¼ oz. \$5.00

**Burpee's CLIMAX** 

#### Giant Hybrid American Mariaolds

Climax Marigolds are true first generation F1 Hybrids and the most gorgeous marigolds we have ever seen anywhere.

Being hybrids, it is suggested you plant Climax Marigolds in well enriched soil, water freely as needed and disbud to get the largest and best flowers.

Properly grown, the big globular blooms reach sizes up to 5 in. across and nearly as deep. The deeply ruffled and frilled, satiny petals give them grace and charm. Toreador 2 ft. tall, others 21/2 to 3 ft. All are covered with an abundance of flowers. They are ideal for garden display and cutting.

4153 **Toreador** NEWTHIS YEAR All-America Bronze Medal Winner, Large, bright mid-orange flowers dramatically highlighted by slightly darker centers.

4447 Golden Climax Gorgeous deep golden yellow color, clear and vivid.

4443 Yellow Climax Bright yellow informal frilly and waved flowers. Any of the above: Pkt. (75 seeds) \$1.00;

2 pkts. \$1.50; 1/16 oz. \$3.50

4446 Climax Mixed The above three and other colors. Because the different colors grow to different heights, we recommend this gorgeous mixture especially for cut flowers.

Pkt. (90 seeds) \$1.00;

2 pkts. \$1.50; 1/16 oz. \$3.50

Special! FOR VERY **SMALL GARDENS** 

3004 Toreador (orange) Any of these:
Pkt. 3481 Yellow Climax 3363 Climax Mixed.

(30 seeds)

4774—One pkt. (30 seeds) each of Toreador, Golden and Yellow Climax, value \$1.50 for only

4153 Toreador, Giant F: Hybrid Marigold 1960 All-America Winner Pkt. (75 seeds) \$1.00 (Shown in color on the inside front cover)

> **Burpee's Three Sensational Climax Marigolds** Toreador (orange), Golden Climax and Yellow Climax

4863—SPECIAL: One pkt. (75 seeds) each of the three Giant Hybrid Climax Marigolds, value \$3.00 for only

Climax Marigolds are the triumph of 20 years' Burpee research to create a Giant First Generation (Fi) Hybrid American Marigold with all the virtues of a perfect flower. Never before have we received so many letters in praise of a new flower as we have about Climax.

#### RURPEE'S MARIGOLD GARDEN

Man-in-the Moon Marigold; Mammoth Mum, Mixed Colors; Burpee's Sun Giants, extra large showy flowers, some 41/2 in. across Rusty Red, dwarf double French and Sunny, dwarf single yellow French

4784-SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these five different kinds of American and dwarf French marigolds, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.35 for only



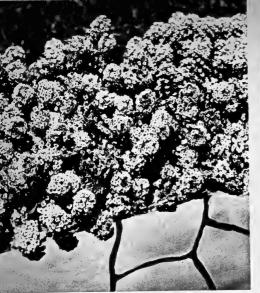
#### 4154 Burpee's Red and Gold Hybrid Mariaolds

#### **DOUBLE HYBRIDS OF AMERICAN** AND FRENCH MARIGOLDS

Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain, Flowers of Burpee's Red and Gold Hybrids are exceedingly double, 2½ to 3 in, across, some are solid red while others are deightful combinations of red and gold. Color varies with the season—at times it becomes almost pure golden yellow and at other times a bright, rich mahogany-scarlet. The bushy, up-right plants grow 2 ft. tall and flower in 8 week. from seed and continue to bear profusely and continuously until the plants are killed by frost. Excellent for beds and borders and highly prized for cut flowers and exhibition.

Pkt. (100 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢;

1/16 0z. \$1.75; 1/8 0z. \$3.00; 1/4 0z. \$5.50



3175 Sweet Alyssum, Pinkie Pkt. 25¢

#### SWEET ALYSSUM

Easily grown, free flowering plants; universally popular for beds, borders, edgings, rock gardens, pots and window boxes. Of quick growth; in bloom from early in the summer until hard frost. Pretty alone or alternated with blue lobelia, dwarf blue ageratum or signet marigolds. Also used for growing in pots or boxes indoors during the winter. Your choice of pink, white or violet sweet alyssum of different heights.

3175 Pinkie Pure white in the hot days of summer. Turns to delicate pink in the cool days of fall. Plants are dwarf, semi-erect, 6 in. high, with a spread up to 15 in. Lovely alone or with others.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/26 oz. \$1.85

4016 Little Gem Small white nowers completely cover dwarf, compact plants only 4 to 5 in. tall. Favorite for narrow edgings.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; oz. \$1.50



4044 Sweet Alyssum, Royal Carpet Pkt. 256

4044 Royal Carpet All-America Silver Medal Winner. Low, spreading plants, 2 or 3 in. high, 10 or more in. across, fully covered with large heads of rich violet or vibrant purple. Popular for edging.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/2 oz. \$1.85

4003 Carpet of Snow Dainty, pure white flowers are so freely produced on dwarf spreading plants, 4 in. high, as to give the impression of a white carpet. A favorite for wide edgings.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.75

4448 Pink Heather All-America Bronze Medal Winner Young flowers are soft pink changing to a pleasing lavender-pink a shade so popular in heather. Plants are dwarf, 6 in. tall, and very free blooming. It achieves its best color in cool weather of fall. Pkt. 50ξ; ¾6 cs. \$2.00; ¾ cs. \$3.75

4004 Sweet (Lobularia maritima) Of spreading growth, averaging 8 in, in height. White, dainty, honey-scented flowers in profusion.

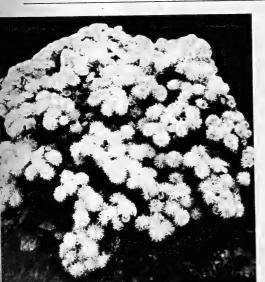
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 40¢; oz. \$1.00

4002 Tetra Snowdrift The low, bushy plants present a mass of bloom with flower heads larger than any other annual whise sweet alyssum. Unusual vigor is surely evident in this exceptionally fine strain, created by the use of colchicine. Plants grow 10 in. tall and always covered with bloom. Ideal for all outdoor plantings; and as the stems are long and strong, it is valuable for cutting. Flowers have excellent substance and keep very well after being cut. Pkt. 25¢; 34°s 02. 75¢; 34°s 02. 81.25

4005 Violet Queen Large heads of fragrant, bright, clear violet flowers, a lew top center ones in the cluster being white in pretty contrast. The dainty, free blooming plants are only 5 in. tall. Pkt. 15¢; ¾ oz. 60¢; oz. \$2.00

4064 Violet and White Mixed This combination of colors is most pleasing and is often favorably commented upon by those who see our plantings of it at Burpee's famous Fordhook and Floradale Seed Farms. The plants grow to a height of 5 to 6 in.

Perennial Alyssum, page 54.



4355 Ageratum, Tetra Blue (Blue Mink) Pkt. 35¢

#### AGERATUM—Floss Flower

Favorite, profuse blooming plants with fluffy flowers in dense heads throughout the summer and fall. In great demand for borders, edgings, rock gardens, small beds and also make nice indoor pot plants, especially the dwarf varieties; tall kinds are fine for cutting. Ageratum does well in sun or half-shade in any good soil.

4007 Blue Ball Compact ball-shaped plants 6 to 8 in. tall covered with large, attractive heads of many dark blue flowers. Derives its name from shape of the plants that are as round as a ball.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. 85¢;

4001 Blue Cap Large rich blue flowers in profusion in dense heads that cover the dwarf, dome shaped plants which grow 8 in tall. The foremost variety of Ageratum for all general purposes.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

4008 Blue Perfection Deep amethyst blue flowers borne profusely on dwarf, compact plants which grow about 9 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

3003 Imperial Dwarf Blue Compact plants, 7 in. tall, above which stand attractive clusters of finify lavender-blue flowers that simply cover the little bushes during both the summer and fall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

3005 Imperial Dwarf White Pure white flowers; combines well with Imperial Dwarf Blue. Superb for low edgings. 7 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.00; 1/2 oz. \$1.85

4006 Midget Blue All-America Silver Medal Winner. Uniformly dwarf plants, 2 to 3 in. high, completely covered with small, ageratum-blue flowers. Wonderful for edgings and rock gardens. Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.85

4009 Tail Blue Bright azure-blue flowers are freely produced in dense clusters on branched plants. Nice for cutting, 2 ft, tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

4355 Tetra Blue (Blue Mink) Unusually large, true ageratumblue colored flowers completely cover the dwarf, compact plants which grow 6 to 8 in. tall with a spread of 1 ft. Very vigorous, free blooming variety which is fine for cutting and garden use. Pkt. 35; 14, ec. \$1.10; 4, ec. \$2.00

#### BEGONIAS - Fibrous Rooted

Ideal everblooming plants for beds, borders, pots and window boxes. Succeed in full sun as well as half-shade. Stand wet weather. Valuable house plants in bloom all the year 'round. Grow 10 to 12 in, tall.

3019 Carmen Lovely bright rose colored flowers are freely borne in clusters above the attractive, dark bronzy red foliage. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½28 oz. \$2.00

3047 Christmas Cheer The large, dark crimson-scarlet flowers, which often attain a diameter of 2 in., are profusely borne above the clean, dark green foliage.

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; ½128 oz. \$1.75

3048 **Prima Donna** Exquisite coral-pink blooms tinted soft carmine are beautiful against the dark green foliage. Prized for its lovely color inside and outdoors.

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.75

3059 Vernon The deepred flowers stand out in contrast to the rich bronzy purple foliage. Very free and continuous blooming. Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; ½128 oz. \$1.75

4048 Burpee's Special Begonia Mixture Truly magnificent blend of white, pink, and red varieties with green or bronze foliage. Readily grown from seed. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½122 oz. \$2.00

Tuberous Rooted Begonia seeds, page 52; Bulbs, page 118

# BALSAM—Lady Slipper

Flowers during summer and early fall months. Old favorite for beds and borders. Balsam will produce the best flowers if it is grown in rich, well-drained, slightly moist soil in a location exposed to full sun.

#### Burpee's Royal Balsams

4357 Mixed Colors Far superior to the older kinds; the flowers are larger, like little roses, double and semi-double and more freely borne on tall, erect plants, 2 to 3 ft. high. Colors include salmon-cerise, white, salmon-pink, purplish red and others.

Splendid foliage plants, 3 to 5 ft, high; ideal for backgrounds or groups. Midsummer until frost. Thrives in a warm location. 4017 Molten Fire Deep maroon foliage, each branch topped with a head of bright fiery crimson. Showy as foundation plants.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. 81.50

4019 Tricolor Splendens (Joseph's Coat) Scarlet-crimson foliage which is strikingly variegated yellow and bronze-green.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.40

#### Double Camellia Flowered

4046 All Colors Mixed The symmetrical bushy plants grow 2 to 3 ft. tall, each of the branches covered with fully double blooms often growing up to 2½ in. across.

Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

#### Double Flowered Dwarf

3054 Mixed Colors Neat little bushes, only 8 in. high, with double and semi-double flowers in a wide range of the most pretty colors. A nice variety for edgings.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.50

#### ARCTOTIS

3013 Giant Mixed Dwarf free-bloom-3013 Glant winked war free-blooming plants all summer and fall with large, daisy-like flowers, 2½ to 3 in. across in white and shades of brown, apricot, yellow, pink, red, terra-cotta and-mauve. 10 in.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅓ oz. \$1.00

#### BELLS OF IRELAND

4135 Odd, interesting and beautiful. Stems closely set with bell shaped bracts; translucent green in color, in the center of which is a small, two-lipped white flower. As plant matures, the tiny white flowers drop and only the green bracts remain. May be used as fresh cut flowers or dried for winter decoration. Grove 2½ ft. tall. Very popular. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.75

#### BLUE LACE FLOWER

Trachymene or didiscus coerulea

4041 Lace-like heads, about 21/2 in. across, 4041 Lace-like heads, about 2/3 in across, of many delicate lavender-blue flowers. Plants 1½ ft. and more tall; do best in cool localities. Pretty in border; lovely to cut. Its keeping qualities are remarkable.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40





4041

Blue Lace

Flower Pkt. 25¢

3013 Arctotis Giant Mixed





3048 Begonia, Prima Donna Pkt. 40¢



Burpee's Royal Balsams, 4357 Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢

## **ANCHUSA** Summer Forget-me-not

**AMARANTHUS** 

Summer Poinsettia

4026 Blue Bird All-America Bronze Medal 4026 Blue Bird All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Attractive free-flowering plants with many long stems, each topped with a cluster of clear blue forget-me-not-like blooms, with white eye, Individual flowers grow about ½ in. across, in graceful sprays from early summer until late fall. A good blue annual flower for beds and borders. Bushy plants. 18 in. tall. Easy to grow.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

Perennial Anchusa, page 54







3074 Calliopsis drummondi Pkt. 25¢



3066 Brachucome, Mixed Colors



3064 Browallia, Sapphire Pkt. 35¢



4059 Cardinal Climber Pkt. 25¢



3375 Castor Oil Plant, Red Spire Pht. 25¢



#### CALLIOPSIS—Tall and Dwarf

Decorative plants with finely cut foliage and gay, daisy-like flowers in a wide variation of yellow, orange and red tones. Bloom continuously from early summer until frost. Easily grown in almost any location and soil. Calliopsis is fine for beds, borders and cutting.

#### **Dwarf Growing**

4078 Mixed Colors Shades of yellow and orange, mahogany-brown and crimson; many prettily marked and tigered. 9 to 12 in. high, ideal for edgings, borders, rock gardens and short-stemmed cut flowers. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ 0z. 85¢; ½ 0z. \$1.50

#### Tall Growing

3074 Drummondi (Golden 30/4 Drummondi (Golden wave). Large golden-yellow flowers with a circle of reddish brown around the center are freely borne on long, wiry stems. Grow 20 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

4058 Tall Mixed Colors Contains the finest large and small-flowered tall calliopsis nnest large and small-nowered tail cantopsis in tones of yellow, orange and red with varied markings. Profusion of daisy-like flowers from early summer until frost. Showy in the garden; grand for cutting. The plants grow 20 to 36 in. tall.

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Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢; 1/2 oz. \$1:10

3075 Alldouble Tall Mixed Flowers are practically all double, 1 to 1½ in. across, and come in all colors and color combination of the solitonian delightful and come in all colors and color combina-tions to be seen in calliopsis—delightful combinations of yellow, orange, maroon, crimson and mahogany, Grows 3 ft. high. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

#### BRACHYCOME

Swan River Daisy

3066 Mixed Colors Small blue, rose, dark violet and white cineraria-like flowers in a grand mixture. Free-flowering plants 12 in. tall that are in bloom nearly the entire summer. Brachycome is ideally suited for edgings, rock gardens or pots.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ 0z. 75¢

#### **BROWALLIA**—Amethyst

3064 Sapphire Neat, compact-growing plants, 10 in. tall, covered with large, dark blue, lobelia-like flowers with white eyes. These pretty flowers are freely produced during the summer and fall. Fine for beds, borders or winter blooming in the house.

Pkt. 35¢; 364 oz. \$1.00

#### CANARY BIRD FLOWER

heautifully cut foliage and finely fringed, nasturtium-like flowers of rich canary yellow, which at a distance appear like tiny canary birds. Prefers semi-shade and fairly moist soil. Nice for cutting. 10 to 15 ft. high.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.60

#### CARDINAL CLIMBER

4059 Quick-growing climber with cardinalscarlet blooms, 1 to 11/2 in, across in lovely contrast to the glossy dark green foliage so contrast to the glossy dark green foliage so finely cut as to give little or no shade. It is grown extensively for its spectacular display of flowers. Vines grow 15 ft. tall, and are in bloom all summer long until frost. Cardinal Climber does well in any good soil in a sunny location. The throat is white.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 95¢; ½ oz. \$1.75

#### CARNATIONS

4062 Giant Marguerite Mixed Delightfully fragrant, fringed flowers of the largest size for cutting in a blend of all colors-whites, lovely rose and pink shades, ors—whites, lovely rose and pink shades, salmon, deep red, scarlet, dark blood-red and yellow. Plants flower within five months from seed. This strain is hardy in moderate climates where it grows successfully as a biennial. Grows 15 to 18 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ 80z. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.60

Biennial and Perennial Carnations, page 55.

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4062 Carnation, Giant Marguerite Pkt. 25¢



#### CAMPANULA

Canterbury Bells

4056 Mixed Colors All-America Gold Medal Winner. Shape of flowers and form of plant are the same as the biennial Canterbury Bells, but these bloom in less than six months from seed. Shades of lavender, blue, rose, pink, and white in a lovely mixture. Desirable for late beds and bredger and rice for writing. For explaints flowers, start indoors. Grow 2 to 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75

#### CASTOR OIL PLANT—Ricinus

Magnificent, tall, large-leaved plants of tropical appearance. Beautiful for backgrounds and large group plantings. Ricinus is splendid wherever a tall dense growth of a temporary nature is wanted in a short time. Plants are toxic; seeds are poisonous.

3375 Red Spire Large purplish leaves changing to bronzy green. Stems, stalks and veins are rich red; seed spikes and seed pods are brilliant rosy crimson. 6 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢

3364 Zanzibar Mixed Of enormous growth, 10 to 12 ft. high. Rich green lobed leaves that measure 2½ ft. and more across. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢

4289 Mixed Varieties Best varieties, with large green, red and bronze leaves are contained in this mixture. 8 to 10 ft. tall. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢

#### CLARKIA

4118 Finest Double Mixed Dainty double flowers resemble those of the flowering almond. Does best in sections where summers do not get too hot. Prefers semishade. Salmon, pink, mauve, rose, carmine, purple, white and red. Keeps well. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ 0z. 75¢; ½ 0z. \$1.25

#### **CLEOME**—Spider Plant

4045 Pink Queen All-America Silver Medal Winner. Huge trusses of bright, salmon-pink flowers from early summer until late fall. Attractive in tall borders and backgrounds, Stands heat. 4 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. 81.40

4056 Annual Campanula Pkt. 25¢



## Improved CALENDULAS

#### Scotch or Pot Marigolds

These calendulas are far superior to the old-fashioned varieties in many respects; the flowers are larger, longer stemmed, fuller and of richer colors, and therefore are better both for cutting and garden decoration. Of the easiest culture, succeeding in ordinary, well-drained soil and, where summers are not too hot, plants will bloom from early summer until frost and furnish an endless supply of long-lasting cut flowers. Sow seed in early spring. In hot sections, another sowing may be made in early summer to furnish blooms in the cool fall days. Plants grow 15 to 24 in. tall, depending on the variety used and the locality in which it is grown.

#### **Pacific Beauty Calendulas**

Pacific Beauty Calendulas are beautiful and seem to withstand summer heat better than other varieties of calendulas. This family of Calendulas train of uniformly large flowers of excellent form, long, straight stems and clear colors. Be sure to grow them.

4038 Apricot Beauty An attractive two-toned effect, gesting the warm colorings of apricots that is most pleasing. An attractive two-toned effect, sug-

3076 Cream Beauty Delicate creamy white shading to a lovely, soft, light yellow which is a most refreshing color.

3068 Lemon Beauty Long, wide petaled flowers of pure lemon yellow. A flower of impressive beauty in the garden or when cut,

3072 Persimmon Beauty Clear persimmon-orange of the most unusual brilliance. Splendid for cutting and garden use,

4055 Pacific Beauty Mixture Special blend of the above four varieties of these newer, large calendulas for a grand showing. Any of the above Pacific Beauty Calendulas:

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.60

#### All Four Pacific Beauty Calendulas

4821—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above four separate varieties, value \$1.00 for only

**4054 Giant Double Mixed** Largest-flowered varieties, including all of the best colors in a carefully blended mixture of outstanding varieties in the most attractive shades of yellow and orange. A gay mixture for garden effect providing many flowers for cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.60



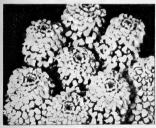
3572 Rays of Sunshine Large, fluffy flowers in an unusually brilliant assortment of colors from soft primrose through buttery yellow to apricot and deep vivid orange. Some of the flowers have contrasting brown centers while some of the others have burnished petal edges. Superb for both garden and cutting purposes.

Pkt, 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.60

4047 Yellow Colossal Huge, double, clear, bright yellow flowers that grow 4½ in. and more across. In addition to being very large, Yellow Colossal is also the most profuse blooming of all large-flowered calendulas. The outer petals are long, loose and gracefully curved, while the inner ones are shorter and incurved at center.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ 0z. 85¢; ½ 0z. \$1.60

4051 All Varieties Mixed Blend of large-flowered yellow and orange calendulas that makes a most pleasing effect in the garden or in cut-flower arrangements. Fully double and semi-double 15¢ varieties, some with very beautiful contrasting centers. Pkt. 1½ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢



Hyacinih Flowered Candytuft 4358 Iceberg Pkt. 25¢

## **CANDYTUFT**—Iberis

Well-known, dwarf, profuse flowering plants of easy culture. Charming for beds, borders, edgings, rock gardens and cutting. Comes into flower quickly. For a continuous display make several sowings 2 to 3 weeks apart. All varieties do best where summers are cool.

#### Hyacinth Flowered

4358 Iceberg The largest hyacinth flowered candytuft and the tallest growing. Flowers are pure white; plants much branched, each topped with a big, hyacinthlike spike of bloom that is showy in garden or when cut. Grows 12 to 15 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

4068 Pure White Several pure white, long and thick hyacinth-like spikes per head. Showy and attractive. 1 ft. plants.
Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

#### Umbellata Candytuft

4052 All Colors Mixed Umbel or umbrella-shaped flower heads made up of many small flowers cover the dwarf bushy plants, which grow 1 ft. tall. Attractive blend made up of carmine, flesh pink, lilac, rose, cardinal and white. If you live where summers are hot, sow the seeds very early in the spring so that plants will bloom during the cooler days of late spring and early summer.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 40¢; ½ oz. 70¢

Perennial Candytuft, page 59.

#### CALIFORNIA POPPIES—Eschscholtzia

Dainty, free-flowering plants of easiest culture, with gaily colored, satiny poppy-like flowers. Well adapted for beds, borders and edgings; for vases, cut buds when they show color. The spreading varieties grow 1 ft. tall; the erect growing varieties attain a height of 15 to 18 in. California Poppies bloom early, furnishing an abundance of flowers until frost.

#### **Double and Semi-Double**

**Spreading Varieties** 

3366 Sweetheart Large, double flowers of flaming rose on a cream ground. A beauty.
Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

4226 Double Mixed A mixture of the best doubles and semi-doubles. Choice colors. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

4239 Monarch Mixed A colorful mixture of the finest semi-double varieties.

Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 70¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

#### Single Flowering

Spreading

4236 Sunset Mixture A blend of many. pretty colors varying from lightest yellow to dark red. Free blooming dwarf plants. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 80¢

Burpee Gift Certificates make most appreciated gifts for your friends. They are issued in any amount you designate and may be redeemed in seeds, bulbs or other mer-chandise listed in current Burpee catalogs. California Poppy 4239 Monarch Mixed Pkt. 20¢



# CELOSIA — Cockscomb

An old-fashioned flower greatly improved. Blooms from midsummer until frost, Easily grown in any soil. The flowers last a long time if dried as you would everlastings. You may choose from the comb-like or plume types, tall or dwarf growing.

#### **Crested Cockscomb**

(Celosia cristata)

The name "cockscomb" applies to this group, for the flower heads, as will be seen from the picture of Toreador, surely have a resemblance to the form of a rooster's comb. Crested Cockscombs do best in light soil.

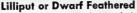
4125 Toreador All-America Bronse Medal Winner. The flower heads or combs, 6 to 9 in. across, are bright red with scarlet highlights. Foliage is light green. 20 in. Pkt. 25¢; ½2 oz. \$1.00; ½4 oz. \$1.75

4066 Tall Mixed Extra fine colors in a well-blended mixture. Grow 3 ft. tall.
Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

4065 Empress (nana) Most impressive cockscomb which deserves a place in every garden; prized for cutting, fresh or dried. Dark, bronzy foliage with huge combs of deep, velvey crimson-purple. 10 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

4067 Dwarf Mixed (nana) Many fine shades of yellow, orange, crimson, purple, rose and red in mixture. The large flower heads or combs are much used when dried for winter decoration in the home. 10 in.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50



Dwarf, compact plants, often producing from 15 to 20 branches, each tipped with brilliant silky plumes. Great bloomer. 1 ft. 4057 Fire Feather Fiery crimson color.

3082 Golden Feather Deep yellow.

Either variety of Lilliput Celosia: Pkt. 35¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25; 1/4 oz. \$2.25

#### Giant Plumed or Tall Feathered

Showy, well-branched plants, each branch crowned with long, silky, feathery plumes. Effective in beds and borders; useful for cutting. Very free blooming. 2½ to 3'ft.

4361 Flaming Fire One of the most showy, tall plumed celosias for garden decoration and cutting, the color being a bright and rich shade of orange-scarlet.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

3083 Golden Fleece Attractive, long stemmed, feathery plumes which open soft yellow changing to clear golden yellow.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.60

3084 Pride of Castle Gould Large, fluffy, ostrich-feather-like plumes of yellow, scarlet, crimson, and orange-red in mixture, Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.75

4061 Mixed Colors Varied shades of red and yellow. Makes a grand showing. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.10



Dwarf Crested Celosia 4065 Empress Pkt. 25¢



Lilliput Celosia 4057 Fire Feather Pkt. 35¢

# CORNFLOWERS—Bachelor's Buttons, Ragged Robin Centaurea cyanus

Plants grow 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall, and if faded flowers are kept cut will produce large double blooms on long stems throughout the summer. Fine for beds, borders and cutting.

4074 Blue Boy Bright cornflower-blue. 3147 Pinkle Exquisite light pink shade.

3097 Red Boy Deep glowing red. Showy. 3098 Snow Man Glistening pure white.

Any of the above 4 colors:

Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.10

4073 Special Mixture All the above. Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 85¢

3085 Old Glory Bachelor's Buttons Patriotic mixture of red, white and blue. Ideal for garden display as well as cutting. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 65¢; ¼ oz. \$1.20

Perennial Centaurea, page 56.

# All Four Cornflowers Blue Boy, Red Boy, Pinkle and Snow Man

4713-SPECIAL: One pkt. 60¢

#### **Dwarf Double Cornflowers**

3092 Jubilee Gem All-America Winner. Bushy, compact plants, 1 ft. tall covered with large, double, dark blue flowers. A favorite for rock gardens and good for cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

#### **Sweet Sultans**

4072 Glant All Colors Mixed Glorious mixture of very large flowers that bloom freely for many weeks during the summer. The long-stemmed, sweet-scented flowers are exquisitely fringed. 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.10

4072 Giant Sweet Sultans Pkt. 20¢



Dwarf Double Cornflower 3092 Jubiles Gem Pkt. 25¢



#### Centaurea Americana

3095 Lilac 3 ft. plants produce a great display of 4 in. thistle-like, lilac-blue blooms during July and August. Easy to grow. Pkt. 25¢; ½ 0z. 65¢; ½ 0z. \$1.25

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3095 Centaurea Americana Pkt. 25¢



# COSMOS — Summer and Fall Blooming

Beautiful summer and fall blooming plants; decorative in the garden as a graceful border plant and wonderful for cutting. We offer only the early flowered types which are especially desirable where the growing season is short. All varieties of cosmos are very easy to grow. They thrive, even in light, poor textured soil or average soil and in either sun or partial shade.

#### Sensation Cosmos (Early Mammoth)

Giant single flowers, 4 to 6 in, across, are had within 10 weeks from seed and are borne most profusely until frost on robust plants, 4 to 6 ft. high. Flowers have prettily fluted petals which slightly overlap.

Radiance All-America Silver Medal Winner, Deep rose distinctly overlaid with rich crimson toward the yellow eyed center.

3101 Pink Charming rose-pink shade; highly prized for cutting. 3105 White Noted for purity. Nice alone or with the others.

Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

4083 **Mixed Colors** White and various shades of pink, Pretty. Pkt. 20¢; 1/8 oz. 65¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.10

#### Extra Early Cosmos — Unusual Colors

4367 Burpee's Primrose Highly Commended by The Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Good, clean primrose-yellow flowers, 2½ in. across, cover the upright, well-branched plants which grow about 3 ft. tall. Very early to come into bloom.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

4084 Fiesta All-America Silver Medal Winner. Flowers are golden orange strikingly flashed or striped with scarlet. Extremely early to flower. Plants grow to a height of 2½ ft., Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

3113 Yellow and Orange Special mixture of the newer yellow and orange Cosmos that is attractive in the garden or as cut flowers. The two colors complement each other very nicely. Free blooming plants; do not require staking. The plants grow 3 ft. tail.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25



4071 Radiance Mammoth Sensation Cosmos Pkt. 25¢

#### All 3 Sensation Early Cosmos

Radiance, deep rose overlaid rich crimson Pink, charming shade of rose-pink White, remarkably pure white color

4712—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these three varieties, 3 pkts. in all, value 75¢ for only 60¢



4076 Burpee's Sunset Coleus Pkt. 50¢

#### CHINESE FORGET-ME-NOTS

Cynoglossum

Graceful, loose sprays of large forget-me-not-like flowers are freely produced throughout the summer on strong plants. Of easiest culture; anyone can grow it in any good garden soil, Stands hot summers.

4106 Blanche Burpee Named in honor of Mrs. W. Atlee Burpee. This outstanding mixture of cynoglossums contains white, deep blue, light and mid-blue shades. They produce a showy display throughout the summer months. Grows 2 to 2½ ft. tall.

3153 **Firmament** All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Dwarf plants, 15 in. high, covered with bright indigo-blue flowers for a long time during the summer. A "blue" gem for any low bed or border planting.

Either variety of Chinese Forget-me-nots: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

#### COLEUS

Brilliantly colored foliage plants suitable for beds, borders, pots, and edgings to taller plants. To get the best coloring, the plants should be grown in full sun. 20 in. tall but look better if pinched back to make bushy, well-branched plants.

4076 Burpee's Sunset, Mixed The leaves are beautifully marked and prettily variegated, rich and brilliant in their color-ings. Wonderfully decorative; many shades and interesting combinations with green, red and yellow colorings predominating. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/32 oz. \$2.00

3321 Rainbow Mixed Medium to large sized leaves in rich, vivid colors and color combinations. Reds, yellows, coppers, and pinks are present in infinite variety.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½32 oz. \$2.25

#### SUMMER CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Of the easiest culture, doing best in fairly heavy soil. The plants bloom profusely dur-ing the summer and fall, especially in sec-tions where summers are not too hot. Summer chrysanthemums provide a wealth of strikingly beautiful cutting material.

4349 Finest Single Mixed (Painted Daisies) Many of the large flowers are of one color, but most of them are beautifully zoned or ringed with multi-colored bands that are strikingly beautiful. Grow 2ft. tall.
Pkt. 20¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

3091 Coronarium Double Mixed Button-shaped, double blooms, 1½ in across, in white and shades of yellow. 18 in Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

Perennial Chrysanthemums, page 56.

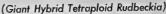


4349 Chrysanthemum, Single Mixed Pkt. 20¢ 3081 Cypress Vine, Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢

CYPRESS VINE — Grown for its grand display of blooms rather than for shade

3081 Mixed Quick-growing climber with attractive, trumpet-shaped scarlet and white flowers, 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in, across, the petals of which form a perfect star and are in contrast to the finely cut, rich green, fern-like foliage, It is excellent for training on porches, trellises, string or poles. The vines grow up to 10 ft. in height. Pkt.  $25\varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $60\varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.10





Spectacular, giant, daisy-like blooms are freely borne on strong stems. The long, broad petals of the bold, gaily colored, single blooms are set off by dark, velvety centers in vivid contrast to the petals. Being hybrids, some semi-double or double flowers may appear in any planting.

Gloriosa Daisies are easy-to-grow, with flowers averaging 5 in across, some up to 7 in. on long strong stems. They get their tremendous size from their hybrid origin and tetraploidy. 3 ft. tall.

Although Gloriosa Daisies are actually perennial, they can be treated as an annual because the plants will flower the first season in late summer and fall if the seed is sown early. In the second year and the years following, plants will be covered with long lasting flowers from early summer well into the fall.

4397 Gloriosa Daisies Mixed Colors (Shown in color on page 3) Bright yellow, mahogany and bicolor flowers. Bicoloring is in well defined circular patterns. Pkt. 25¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.00; 1/16 oz. \$1.85

3143 Gloriosa Golden Daisy NEW HIS WELL (Shown in color on page 5) Pure golden yellow flowers with dark brown eye. Very bright, magnificent blooms. Pkt. 35¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.25; 1/16 oz. \$2.00



It is easy and fascinating to grow dahlias from seed and enjoy the surprise of new colors and forms. Seeds of the tall dahlias should be started early indoors; the seed of the dwarf varieties may be sown in the open when the soil has become warm. Dwarf growing varieties reproduce fairly true to color and type, but the tall kinds can be expected to produce some singles and semi-doubles as well as full double blooms. It is from seed that you get new dahlias, and you are just as likely to obtain them as anyone else. Tubers may be stored for use the next year.

#### Tall Growing Dahlias

3174 Decorative Double Mixed Large flowered; many choice decorative varieties in a wide range of best colors. Free bloomer. 3 to 5 ft. Pt. 40/£; 1/4.6 oz. \$1.35; 1/6 oz. \$2.50

3115 Cactus Flowered Mixed A select strain of double and semi-double cactus-flowered blooms in self and two-toned colors. 3 to 4 ft. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½4s oz. \$1.75

4098 Large Flowered Double Mixed Seed has been saved from the finest double flowers of the formal and informal decorative cactus and semi-cactus types in a select assortment of best colors and attractive markings. Plants are strong growing, 3 to 5 ft. tall. Profuse. Pkt. 40ε; 1/16 oz. \$1.35; 1/26 oz. \$2.50

#### **Pompon Dahlias**

3144 Pompon Mixed The smallest of all dahlias; flowers are ballshaped in a wide color range on rather compact plants. Stems are of good length for cutting purposes. Prolific and continuous blooming. 3 ft. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½ c s. \$1.75

#### **Dwarf Growing Dahlias**

4393 Sunburst Semi-double flowers about 3 in. across in a glorious galaxy of colors including soft pinks, deep rose, salmon, buff, yellow, orange, scarlet and crimson. Early flowering, bushy plants 1½ to 2 ft. tall. Excellent for low borders; lovely for cutting. Good keepers.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ¼e oz. \$1.75

4087 Coltness Single Hybrids Mixed Lovely, single flowers, 3 in. across, with smooth or fluted petals in many colors that are remarkably showy. They are valuable for cutting and display in beds or borders. Profuse blooming plants that grow to a height of 1½ to 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. \$1.00; ½6 oz. \$1.85

4085 Unwin's Dwarf Hybrids Semi-double 3 in. flowers in a varied assortment of colors. Early flowering. 1½ to 2 ft. tall. Unwin's Dwarf Hybrids are valuable for cutting and quite a favorite with those flower lovers who prefer the medium-sized blooms of this variety.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/2 oz. \$1.85

3142 Zulu Mostly shades of crimson and scarlet enlivened by a few orange, gold and lilac double blooms on long stems. Black-leaved foliage. Unusual. 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 35¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½6 oz. \$2.25

Roots of Decorative, Cactus and Pompon Dahlias, pages 114 and 115.



3144 Dahlias, Pompon Mixed Colors Pkt. 50¢







4088 Tahoka Daisy Pkt. 25¢

#### TAHOKA DAISY

4088 Bushy, compact plants with fern-like foliage. Flowers are 2 in. across, composed of a single row of narrow, pointed, lilac-blue petals surrounding a golden yellow, disclike center. Blooms early and profusely throughout the summer and fall. 20 in.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.60



3124 Annual Delphinium Mixed Pkt. 256

#### DELPHINIUM, ANNUAL

3124 Choicest Mixed Blue and white flowers are produced freely on well-branched stems from June to September. If started early, plants will flower the first season from seed. May be grown as a biennial. 1 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

Perennial Delphinium, page 57.



4086 Dimorphotheca, Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢

#### DIMORPHOTHECA

African Daisies—Cape Marigold

4066 Mixed Colors Daisy-like flowers 3½ to 4 in. across; white, sulphur-yellow, golden yellow, salmon, rose, apricot, ecru, and other colors in mixture. Nice for rock gardens, low edgings and cutting. Bloom early and continue for a long time. 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.60



Dianthus, Double Flowered 3131 Double Mixed Pkt, 25¢



Dianthus, Single Flowered 3136 Floradale Pkt. 25¢

#### DIANTHUS—Annual Pinks

Brilliantly colored, sweet-scented flowers for beds, borders, rock gardens, edgings and cutting. Plants grow about 1 ft. tall except where noted, are free blooming and produce flowers of different forms and colorings, 1 to 3 in. across, from July until frost. In addition to self colors, some are edged, blotched or eyed wift contrasting colors, Of easiest culture, succeeding in ordinary garden loam. They may be grown as a biennial in mild climates.

#### **Double Flowered Dianthus**

3118 Snowball Large, pure white, double flowers with finely fringed petals. Profuse.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

3131 Double Mixed Many showy colors and markings. Double Heddewigi type.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

3114 Dwarf Double Mixed Wide range of colors; dwarf, compact plants, 6 in. tall that are ideal for low borders and edgings.

Pkt. 35¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85 3134 Chinensis Double Mixed Fine blooms in clusters on upright, strong stems. White, pink, rose, scarlet, crimson, with some pleasing bicolors. Showy type for garden use and wonderful for cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 02. 85¢; 1/2 0z. \$1.50

3135 Fringed and Laciniated, Double Mixed Lovely carnation-like flowers in a wide range of colors, many with contrasting edges and attractive, fancy patterns.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

#### Single Flowered Dianthus

3136 Floradale Flowers are large, single, with deeply laciniated petals. Practically every color known in dianthus is in this mixture—from white to deepest crimson—to provide bright color all summer and fall.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85 4119 Fordhook Favorites, Single and Double Mixed Splendid blend of both single and double flowered varieties, including all those offered here, and other varieties in this gay and showy mixture.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

Perennial Dianthus, page 57.

#### **DUSTY MILLER**

Centaurea gymnocarpa

3086 Finely divided, silvery-white leaves of a woolly texture give a neat appearance throughout the season. Bears light lavender flowers during the late summer and early fall, Attractive for accent purposes, 1½ ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

#### **EUPHORBIA**

Snow-on-the-Mountain

4091 Marginata or Variegata The green leaves are broadly veined and margried with white; topmost leaves are almost all white. Easily grown; like dry soil. Stems have a milky juice; do not get in your eyes, mouth or cuts. 3 to 4 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

#### FEVERFEW

Easily grown in any good soil, succeeding even in semi-shade. Showy plants that are attractive in garden borders and when cut.

4092 Golden Ball Masses of small, double, golden yellow blooms like tiny chrysanthemums. Compact plants, 8 in. high.

3145 Lemon Ball Small, globular lemonyellow double flowers. Bushy 8 in. plants. 4096 Snowball Pure white, small, double, rounded flowers. Plants grow 10 in. tall.

Any of the above Feverfews:

Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.75



4091 Euphorbia marginata Pkt. 25¢

4092 Feverfew, Golden Ball Pkt. 25¢





Forget-me-not 4099 Alpestris Blue Pkt. 25¢

Four O'Clocks 4149 Mixed Colors Pkt. 20¢

#### FOUR O'CLOCKS --- Marvel-of-Peru

4149 Mixed Colors Popular old-fashioned plant, whose flowers open in the afternoon if day is sunny or all day if it is cloudy. Red, pink, lilac, yellow, white and often several colors will be found in varying degrees in one flower. Easily grown everywhere. Blooms from July until frost. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; 2 ozs. \$1.00



Godetia 3164 Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢

Ornamental Gourds 4104 All Kinds Mixed Pkt. 25¢



## FORGET-ME-NOT - Myosotis

If sown early, Alpestris varieties will bloom in early spring; they delight in well-drained soil and a sunny location. Other varieties listed will flower from May until frost and prefer cool, moist loam and half-shade. Both groups are old favorites, highly prized for beds, borders, rock gardens, pots and cutting. Plants are dwarf, compact and grow 1 ft. tall.

#### Alpestris Varieties

4099 Blue Brilliant blue flowers are borne in the greatest profusion. Dainty; popular.

3152 Rose Exquisite sprays of delicate rose-pink flowers produced in abundance.

4347 Mixed Colors White, rose and varying shades of blue in a grand mixture.

Any of the above Alpestris Forget-Me-Nots: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.85 3156 Bive Bird The dwarf compact plants are covered with beautiful deep blue flowers which are highly prized for both summer and indoor winter flowering.

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3155 Palustris semperflorens Clearest sky-blue flowers. Plants are everblooming, providing delicate color all season long.

Either of the above Forget-Me-Nots: Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85

Chinese Forget-me-not, Cynoglossum, page 23

#### GAILLARDIA -- Gay Flower

#### **Double Gaillardias**

4095 Terra Flesta Originated by treating Flesta Gaillardia with colchicine. As a result, the flowers are much larger and the stems longer and stronger for cutting. Flowers 3 in. across, with brilliant smoky red quilled petals tipped with bright yellow. Pitt. 35¢; ¼ oz. \$1.10; ½ oz. \$2.00

3157 Red Unusually pleasing claret-red flowers of very beautiful form and color.
Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

3179 Yellow A rich, deep yellow shade. Lovely in the garden and fine for cutting. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

4101 Gaiety Double Mixed Claret; yellow, sulphur, orange, maroon, with many such colors often combined in the one flower; some contrastingly tipped yellow.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.10

#### Double Gaillardias

Red, Yellow and Tetra Flesta 4731—SPECIAL: One pkt. 75¢

3165 Single Gaillardias, Mixed Colors
Many fine colors and color combinations.
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 80¢

Perennial Gaillardias, page 58.



4095 Tetra Fiesta Gaillardia Pkt. 35¢

#### GODETIA --- Satin Flower

3164 All Colors Mixed Rose, carmine, pink, cattleya-blue, white, etc., in many shades and combinations. Plants are bushy with masses of large, colorful blooms during the summer and fall. Thrive best in a cool, moist soil and a half-shady location. Godetia is ideally suited for beds and borders and is attractive when used as a cut flower. Bushy little plants 12 to 15 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

#### GOURDS, ORNAMENTAL

The ripened fruits, when dried, are used for ornaments and in recent years have become extremely popular for home decoration. The vines are quick growing, have dense foliage and provide a good summer screen. Gourds thrive in full sun, in well drained, rich soil and do best when trained on a fence, arbor or trellis.

3275 Small Gourds Mixed Included are varieties shaped like an apple, orange, pear, nest egg, miniature bottle and others. Pkt. 25¢; ½ 02. 75¢; 0z. \$1.25

3272 Big Gourds Mixed The best of the large fruited varieties, including calabash, dipper, dishcloth, sugar trough and others. Pkt. 25¢; ½ 02. 75¢; 02. \$1.25

4104 All Kinds Mixed Large and small fruited gourds of many shapes in mixture.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25

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#### GYPSOPHILA

Annual Baby's Breath

Well-known, open, bell-shaped blooms used so much for mixing with other flowers in bouquets and vases. Easy to grow.

4111 King of the Market Plants bear many sprays filled with pure white flowers. Early bloomer; upright grower, 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 55¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

3162 Rose Pure bright, rich rose. 1½ ft. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25 Perennial Gypsophila, page 58.



# GERANIUM—Pelargonium hortorum

4343 Floradale Fancy Mixed Enormous flower heads in many colors, including white, shades of pink, rose, salmon and scarlet to deep crimson, in mixture. Very easily grown from seed; prefer a light, sunny position. Popular plants for beds and borders in the garden, urns and window-boxes; make excellent house plants as they can be had in bloom almost all the year 'round. Plants grow 18 in. and more tall. Geraniums may be grown as a perennial in frost-free locations.

Pkt. 50¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.25; 1/16 oz. \$2.25

#### HOUSE PLANTS FROM SEED

Gardening, which is already one of the most popular forms of recreation during pleasant weather, is becoming a year 'round project.

Many lovely house plants may be grown indoors easily and inexpensively from seed, at the same time providing you with a satisfying and rewarding hobby. The most popular plants ideally suited to indoor growing from seed are listed separately on pages 52 and 53.





3186 Hunnemannia, Sunlite Pht. 256

#### HUNNEMANNIA

Santa Barbara Poppy

3186 Sunifte All-America Silver Medal Winner. Semi-double, canary-yellow, tulipshaped flowers with an extra row of short petals on the outside. Blooms from July until frost. Excellent for vases if flowers are out while, in bud Grows anyupher but does cut while in bud. Grows anywhere but does best in well limed sandy soil. 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

#### IMPATIENS—Sultan's Balsam

4107 Holsti Hybrids Wide range 4107 Hoisti Hybrids Wide range of exquisite colors in mixture. Blooms all the year 'round in pots or may be grown outdoors in semi-shade during the summer where it flowers continuously from midsummer until frost. Grow 1 to 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; ½2 oz. \$1.50; ½6 oz. \$2.50

#### KOCHIA—Burning Bush

4105 Symmetrical oval plants, 3 ft. tall, resembling an ornamental evergreen. Fine for summer hedges, Light green foliage which turns to bright carmine in late fall. Pkt. 20¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00

4105 Kochia Pkt. 20¢



Everyone loves the fragrance and beauty of heliotrope. Excellent bedding plants in summer; desirable pot-plants during win-ter. Succeeds in any good soil and full sun.

4108 Mme. Bruant Dark violet-blue with a contrasting, showy white eye. 1½ ft. tall.
Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

4109 Giant, Mixed Colors Many shades ranging from pure white to violet-blue. Very large heads of rare beauty. 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.25

#### HOLLYHOCK

Grown as annuals because the plants will flower the first season from seed if it is started early. Nice for backgrounds. They are like the perennial hollyhocks in plant habit and will last for several years.

3187 Indian Spring All-America Silver Medal Winner. Semi-double fringed flowers in shades of pink. Plants are 4 to 5 ft. high. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ 0z. 75¢; ¼ 0z. \$1.25

3185 All Colors Mixed Single, semi-double and double flowers in a wide range of many pretty colors. Plants grow 6 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢ Perennial Hollyhocks, page 59.



Dwarf, free-flowering plants with small spikes of dainty snapdragon-like flowers. Shades of crimson and gold, pink, mauve, blue, chamois, and rose, blotched with different shades on the lip. Good rock garden subject and nice for cutting. 15 in.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ 0z. 90¢; ½ 0z. \$1.50

3885 Cymbalaria Small, lilac-blue flow-3885 Cymboloria Small, iliac-blue now-ers on trailing stems throughout the sum-mer. Desirable for rock gardens, ground covers, hanging baskets, window boxes or for small trellises indoors. Plants are 4 to 6 in, tall; will grow up to 3 ft. in length. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

3181 Linaria maroccana Pkt. 25¢



4109 Heliotrope, Giant Mixed



Hollyhock 3187 Indian Spring Pkt. 25¢

**Burpee Seeds Grow** 

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Giant Steeplechase Larkspur 4122 Blue Pkt. 25¢

# **Burpee's Giant STEEPLECHASE LARKSPURS**

Giant Steeplechase larkspurs are erect growing with the biggest double flowers, longer and stronger spikes of all annual larkspurs. Spring and summer flowering; heat resistant. A slight difference in blooming time and heights of the different colors adds interest to any planting. They are gorgeous for garden and cutting, a distinct improvement over the older types of larkspur.

4122 Steeplechase Blue The largest flowered of all larkspurs—looks more like a delphinium. The intense dark blue flowers are double and freely borne on erect plants. Tall grower, 5 ft.

4127 Steeplechase Sky Blue Flowers are large and of a pleasing, soft blue shade. 4½ ft.

4126 Steeplechase Pink Attractive flowers of an exquisite salmon-rose color. Grows 4 ft. tall.

4121 Steeplechase Red Wonderful color—bright carmine-red large double flowers. 4 ft. tall.

4077 Steeplechase White Large white flowers on profuse blooming bushy plants 4½ ft. tall.
4124 Steeplechase All Colors Mixed The above five select colors carefully blended.

Any of the above separate colors: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

Giant Steeplechase Larkspurs — Erect, profuse blooming plants 4812—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of all the above five separate colors for only \$1

#### Giant Imperial Larkspurs—Grow upright like delphinium

Attractive flower-spikes 3 to 4 ft. tall, which stand upright, close to the center stalk—a decided improvement on older spreading types especially where space is limited. Abundance of well-formed, large, double flowers in a wonderful range of the most desirable colors. Always attracts attention.

3182 Dark Blue Spire Intense oxford-blue,

3194 White King Nice alone or with others.

3191 Los Angeles Luminous salmon-rose.
3206 Ruby Genuine ruby red, Distinct color.

4114 Mixed Colors Special mixture of these and other varieties of the Giant Imperial type.

Any of the above Giant Imperial Larkspurs: Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 95¢

Giant Imperial Larkspurs — Not quite so big as Steeplechase 4711—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 4 separate colors for only 50¢

#### **Burpee Wonder Larkspurs**

Distinctive feature of these extraordinary larkspurs is their habit of growth. Strong, upright spikes are produced from the base, presenting a solid, erect, column-like appearance, the upper half being covered with large double flowers, 1½ in. across. These extremely long-stemmed larkspurs are especially desirable for cut-flower purposes. They grow about 3½ ft, tall and bloom profusely.

3204 Dark Blue Velvety blue. Most attractive shade.

3193 Salmon Salmon-rose. Lovely for cutting.
3183 White Beautifully formed pure white flowers.

4093 Mixed Colors Dark blue, salmon and white.

Any of the above Burpee Wonder Larkspurs: Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

#### **Burpee Wonder Larkspurs**

4715—SPECIAL: One pkt. of Dark Blue, 60¢

#### Giant Larkspurs on Parade®

3203 Special Mixture The beautiful spikes of different colored flowers grow 3 to 4 ft. tall and when in bloom are a wonderful sight to behold. Many of them rival the gorgeous, giant hybrid delphiniums in their tall beauty. Pkt. 25g; ½ 02. 85g; ½ 02. 815g.

#### **LARKSPURS**

Easily raised from seed, quick vigorous growers and very free flowering. Larkspurs are one of the most beautiful and desirable of the early blooming annual flowers. Their wealth of large, double blooms on long attractive spikes will highlight the flower border or cutting garden in spring and summer. Even the deep green, finely divided foliage is a pretty addition to the garden when the plants are not yet in bloom. Larkspur seeds should be sown as early as possible in the spring. Cool weather favors good germination and vigorous growth.

Burpee Wonder Larkspur 3183 White Pkt. 25¢



## MORNING GLORIES

Easily raised, quick-growing climbers succeeding best in soil that is not too rich and in full sun, protected from the north and west winds. Fine for covering trellises, arbors, porches and poles. Free and continuous blooming from July until frost. 8 ft. and more,

3215 Blue Star An All-America Winner. Flowers 4 to 5 in. across of an exquisite light or sky-blue shade with deeper colored mid-rib spears which form a showy star.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.25

4123 Heavenly Blue Large, bright sky-blue flowers, 4 to 5 in, across with white and vellow throats. A sheet of blue when in full bloom. For the largest and most flowers plant in full sun and in soil that is not too rich. We offer the preferred early blooming strain.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢;
½ oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.00

3213 Pearly Gates All-America Silver Medal Winner. The flowers are enormous, 4½ in. across; clear, lovely shining white. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

Lobelta 3201 Mrs. Clibran Improved Pkt. 25¢

4129 Scarlett O'Hara All-America Gold Medal Winner. Bright rosy red with five broad veins radiating from the throat in the shape of a star; these veins are almost scarlet in color. Blooms are 3½ in. across.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

4116 Old Glory Mixture For a patriotic display, what could be more beautiful than this blend of Giant Morning Glories— Heavenly Blue, Pearly Gates (pure white) and Scarlett O'Hara, all in one packet?

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.20

4081 Glant Mixed Large, remarkably showy flowers in a wide range of unusual colors, combinations and unique part, 15¢ markings, hardly two alike. 1/4 oz. 50¢; 1/2 oz. 95¢



Morning Glory 4123 Heavenly Blue Pkt. 25¢

#### LOBELIA

Useful, easily grown plants covered with Oseful, easily grown plants covered what flowers all season. Compact varieties are fine for beds, borders, edgings and rock gardens; Gracilis Blue may be used for flower boxes. Does well in partial shade.

3207 Gracilis Blue (Spreading plants) Rich ultramarine-blue flowers. 10 in. high.

Hamburgia and Sapphire (Trailing), see page 53.

#### **Compact Lobelia**

3197 Crystal Palace Rich deep blue flowers; dark foliage. A favorite, 4 in, tall. 3201 Mrs. Clibran Improved Dark blue with white eye; dwarf, compact plants 4 in. high, always covered with showy flowers.

3205 Finest Mixed Many varieties and different shades in mixture, 4 to 6 in, tall.

Any of the above Lobelia: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.60

#### LUPINE

4346 Hartwegi, Mixed Colors Spikes of blue, rose and white flowers during July and August. Prefers semi-shade. 2½ ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.40

Perennial Lubine, page 60.

# 4346 Lupine, Hartwegt, Mixed Pkt. 256 MIGNONETTE -- Sweet Scented

Grown for its charming fragrance. Excellent for cutting, especially when used with other flowers. Blooms freely all summer, the plants growing to a height of 15 in.

3234 Red Monarch Enormous trusses of Compact grower and very free blooming.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

4157 Fordhook Finest Mixed Large-flowered varieties of many fine shades.

Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 70¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

#### MOONFLOWER - Night Blooming

Quick growing climbers, 15 ft. and more high. The foliage provides splendid shade. 3214 Giant Pink Lavender-pink flowers 5 in. across; blooms only at night and closes the next morning unless the day is cloudy.

4128 Giant White Purest white flowers, often 6 in. across. Blooms at night and usually stays open the next day until noon. Free blooming vines from July until frost. Either of the above:

Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.50

#### NEMESIA

3258 Large Flowering Hybrids Dwarf, free-blooming, showy plants for edgings, borders and rock gardens; white, yellow, orange, pink, crimson, rose, blue, etc., 1 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

#### **NEMOPHILA**—Baby Blue Eyes

3251 Insignis Blue Cup shaped, sky-blue flowers with white centers. Charming for the rock garden and edgings and succeeds in semi-shade. Little plants only 8 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40



Moonflower 4128 Glant White Pkt. 25¢







# **Burpee's Bedding PETUNIAS**

Plants are extremely free blooming, producing a wealth of flowers even under the most trying conditions of weather and soil. Ideal for large beds, borders and porch boxes. Seeds may be sown directly outdoors when soil has become warm, or for earliest blooms, start the seeds indoors in pots, seed-pans or shallow boxes of fine soil about 6 weeks before your outdoor planting time. The vigorous plants grow 11/4 to 2 ft. tall.

3303 Burpee's Blue Rich, clear blue flowers, 2½ to 3 in. across. The finest blue bedding spreading petunia there is.

3434 Flaming Velvet All-America Gold Medal Winner. Deep velvety ma-hogany-red with a satiny luster of scarlet. Large blooms of good texture and, al-though the color is dark, it is rich and luminous. Makes very impressive showing.

3296 Radiance All-America Silver Medal Winner. Glowing, soft cerise-rose with underlying salmon to intensify its brilliance; brown-veined golden yellow brilliance; brown-veined golden yellow throat adds a pleasing, delicate contrast.

4231 **Snowstorm** Pure, clear, snow-white flowers are borne most lavishly from early summer until late fall. Magnificent. Makes wonderful contrast with dark colors.

Any of the above Bedding Petunias: Pkt. 25¢; 1/18 oz. 85¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.60 4191 Special Mixture The best varieties of blue, crimson, white, cerise, sal-mon and golden-rose bedding spreading petunias blended for a harmonious effect in the garden or in window boxes.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.60

4202 Mixed Colors From early sum-mer until frost this mixture of bedding pemer until frost this influence of the tunias will provide a colorful and harmonious display. A bed or box is sure to be admired by everyone. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. 85¢

#### 4 Bedding Petunias

Burpee's Blue, Flaming Velvet, Radiance and Snowstorm

4805 - SPECIAL: One pkt. 85¢

# 4175 Petunias on Parade®

Many named varieties, among them being Cheerful, Peach Red and others. Colors include red, white, blue, scarlet, salmon, pink, etc. Pkt. 25¢; ¼s oz. \$1.00; ½s oz. \$1.75

#### BURPEE'S PETUNIA GARDEN

Crown Jewels, F2 Hybrids Mixed Colors; Flaming Velvet (Bedding); Fire Chief (Dwarf) Blue Wonder, Rose, White Wonder (Balcony) 4803—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these six lovely petunias, value \$1.50 for only **Burpee's Species Hybrids Petunias** 

These hybrids are the result of crosses between the best bedding petunias and the wild species. Plants have unusual vigor and are excellent for flower beds, wide borders, window boxes and cutting.

4221 Funny Face White with yellow throat and brownish purple veins, Plants 16 in. high, 2 ft. across and covered with 2 in. salpiglossis-like flowers. Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢; 1/26 oz. 85¢; 1/26 oz. 85¢; 4414 Paradise A blend of petunias in unusual colors, many penciled brown and of a unique funnel-like form. 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.60

4371 Pinocchio Clear salmon-cerise flowers with a pleasing undertone of orange; slightly star shaped and 2½ in. across. 2 ft. Pkt. 30¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.25; ¼8 oz. \$2.25

# Giant Single Flowered Petunias

Burpee's Giant Petunias grow 4 in, and more across. All are smooth edged, deeply five-lobed. They are excellent for beds, pots, window boxes, and cutting. Start seeds indoors in shallow boxes, pots or seed-pans eight weeks before your usual outdoor planting the seeds and the seeds and the seeds are the seeds and the seeds are the seeds and the seeds are the seeds are the seeds and the seeds are the seeds time. Take extra care in sowing the seed as it is quite small.

3373 Mixed Colors A marvelous blend of Giant Petunias with plain or smooth edges; many colors, including the three separate varieties and some others of which we do not have, this year, enough seed to offer separately. Desirable for all purposes.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/128 oz. \$2.00; 1/64 oz. \$3.25

3394 Elk's Purple Lovely deep violet-purple blooms forming a five-pointed star with their large, smooth-edged lobes. 18 in. tall.

3335 Pink Glory Exquisite pink enhanced by a contrasting white throat finely marked with creamy white veins. Grow 1 ft. tall.

3393 White Cloud Exceptionally free-blooming dwarf compact plants, 1 ft. tall, covered with pure glistening white flowers. Any of the above Giant Single Flowered Petunias:

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/128 oz. \$2.00

4183 Burpee's Crown Jewels Petunias, Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢



# **Burpee's Crown Jewels**

These petunias have hybrid vigor and provide colors that are distinct from all existing varieties—clearer, brighter, more pleasing or different. Each is a true second generation (F2) hybrid. Every flower of the parents of the F<sub>1</sub> from which this seed was grown was pollinated by hand; therefore, the seed will always be valuable.

3568 Coronation Salmon-cerise shaded salmon pink. 18 in. 3571 Moonstone Creamy yellow to pale lemon-yellow. 20 in.

3569 Royal Blue Clear velvety blue star-shaped flowers. 28 m.

4417 Royal Scarlet Intense scarlet-red flowers. 20 in. tall.

Any of the above Burpee Crown Jewels Petunias: Pkt. (200 seeds) 35¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.25; 1/64 oz. \$2.25

4183 Burpee's Crown Jewels, Mixed Colors Blend of the above named varieties. 1% to 2 ft. Pkt. (200 seeds) 1.28 oz. \$1.00; 1.85

Burpee's Four Crown Jewels Petunias

-SPECIAL: One pkt. each of above four separate Crown Jewels Petunias, value \$1.40 for only



4243 Fire Chief Petunia Pkt. 25¢



4216 Cheerful Petunia Pkt. 35¢ Makes wonderful ground cover as it is inclined to trail.

## **Dwarf PETUNIAS**

Very free, early flowering compact petunias, the round, mound-like plants being covered with blooms from early summer until frost. Ideal for edgings to taller petunias or other plants; unexcelled for a grand display in beds, borders; highly desirable for pot culture.

3333 Blue Bird Deep, clear blue-violet flowers, the beauty and richness of which are increased by a glistening velvety luster.

3384 Cream Star All-America Silver Medal Winner. Soft creamy white star-shaped flowers; golden yellow toward throat.

3383 Peach Red All-America Winner. Deep salmon suffused light red, the softness of the intense salmon being most pleasing 4211 Rose of Heaven Exquisite shade of clear rose with slightly lighter rose throat, which creates a most pleasing effect.

3313 Rosy Morn Medium-size flowers of clear rose-pink with white throat. Perhaps one of the best known dwarf petunias.

**4209 Snowball** Lovely, pure, sating white blooms; splendid by itself and in combination with others, emphasizing their colors. Any of the above 6 varieties of Dwarf Petunias:

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.60

Four Early Flowering Dwarf Petunias Blue Bird, Peach Red, Rose of Heaven and Snowball

4702—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these four named varieties, value \$1.00 for only

4216 Cheerful All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Clear salmon-pink flowers, 2% in. across, with deeper rose veining toward the throat. Here and there are some blooms a tint or two lighter. Pkt.  $35\xi$ ; 2 pkts.  $65\xi$ ; 1/6 cz. 1.50; 1/6 cz.

4243 Fire Chief All-America Gold Medal Winner. The reddest dwarf petunia, the color deepening toward the throat. 2½ in. across.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.50; ⅓8 oz. \$2.75

4199 Special Mixture Included are blue, carmine, rose, ruby red, creamy white, soft salmon and silver blue—beautiful blend of all these colors for a gorgeous showing in your garden. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½, oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.75

4217 Mixed Colors Choice mixture of popular dwarf compact varieties for an inexpensive display in garden beds and borders.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.60

# **Balcony or Large Flowered Bedding PETUNIAS**

Showy plants with long branches covered with blooms 21/2 to 3 in, and more across. Equally as desirable for trailing from hanging baskets, porch and balcony boxes as for bedding. Seeds may be started indoors in shallow boxes, pots or seed-pans about six weeks before your usual outdoor planting time or they may be sown directly outdoors when the soil has become warm. Plants grow 1½ ft. tall and are very profuse blooming throughout the season.

3342 Black Prince Darkest of all red balcony petunias —deep, luminous mahogany-red enriched with a satiny black throat and an over-all yelvety sheen. Flowers do not fade, but deepen in tone as they age. Striking and showy.

4218 Blue Wonder Remarkable for its gorgeous cornflower-blue color which is retained throughout the entire growing season. Does not throw reddish violet or variegated flowers as other blues often do. Very highly recommended.

3325 **Rose** Fiery rose—radiant, soft and most pleasing. A great favorite for garden decoration and highly prized for cutting. Dependable for uniform color, even as flowers age.

**4368 Salmon** Glorious, bright salmon flowers, somewhat lighter toward edges; yellow throat with brown markings. An appealing shade enhanced with a lustrous sheen.

**4201 White Wonder** Flowers are pure glistening white, 3 in, and more across. Nice alone or with any of the others. The plants are completely covered with blooms at all times.

4219 Burpee's Best Mixture This is an exceptionally choice assortment of the finest varieties in blue, rose, white, with enough mahogany-red and crimson to give a depth of color and create a gorgeous display all through the season.

> Any of the above Balcony or Large Flowered Bedding Petunias: Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85

4196 Mixed Colors Splendid blend of all colors to be found in the balcony class of large flowered bedding petunias. found in the balcony class of large flowered became, retained by the Excellent for massing in beds and wide borders. A popular mixture which is also valuable for trailing from 20¢ porch and window boxes as well as for cutting. Pkt. 4,6 oz. 75¢; 1/6 oz. \$1.25; 1/4 oz. \$2.25

#### All 5 Balcony Large Flowered Petunias

Black Prince, Blue Wonder, Rose, Salmon and White Wonder

**4807—SPECIAL:** One pkt. each of these five choice named petunias for large beds, wide borders and porch boxes, value \$1.25 for only

4219 Burpee's Best Mixture of Balcony Petunias Pkt. 25¢





4208 Burpee's Defiance, Mixed Mixture of choice fringed and ruffled tall varieties in the best colors. Many of the named varieties listed on this page plus others are included in this unusual mixture. The large blooms in such variety of color provide very interesting material for cutting as well as attract much admiration in the garden. Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; 1/128 oz. \$2.00

3315 Dwarf Giants of California Large ruffled flowers in a wonderful range of petunia colors are borne profusely on the dwarf, compact plants which are of good habit and grow about 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½28 oz. \$2.50; ¼4 oz. \$4.50

4206 Little Giants, Mixed Colors Dwarf, erect, compact, little plants covered with large, ruffled flowers in many colors. They begin to bloom quite early in the season and continue for a long time. Fine for borders, pots or window boxes. The plants grow 1 ft. tall. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½128 oz. \$1.75

#### 7 New Flowers of Recent Years

Special blends of the best colors of 7 Burpee outstanding creations: Climax Giant Hybrid Marigolds; Crown Jewels Petunias; Giant Tetra Snapdragons; Giant Hybrid Double Zinnias; Gloriosa Daisies;

Magic Carpet Portulaca and Curlilocks Asters. 4808—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 7 popular flowers, 7 pkts. in all, value \$2.00 for only



# Burpee's Beautiful **Giant Fringed PETUNIAS**

Burpee's Giant Fringed Petunias, which average 4 to 5 in. across when properly grown, have a charm of their own due to their attractively fringed or frilled blooms. The varieties offered are the finest for size, color, and form of the flowers. They are admirably suited for bedding purposes, pot culture and for cutting. Seeds should be sown indoors about eight weeks before your usual outdoor planting time. Plants grow 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

3336 Apple Blossom Apple-blossom-pink enriched by deeper pink veinings in the throat. Artistically fringed at edges.

3323 **Theodosia** Large, deeply fringed rose-pink flowers with a clearly defined yellow throat veined purplish black.

3413 Violet Beauty Velvety violet-blue with purplish black throat overlaid with deep-etched black veins. A cast of heliotrope at the base of the throat adds richness to the flower.

3334 White Beauty Pure white, faintly veined with cool apple-green in the throat. Sure to attract wherever grown.

4205 Giant Fringed, Finest Mixed In this blend we have included varieties of as many pleasing and different colors as possible. Many are self or solid; others attractively blotched or oddly variegated in contrasting shades. Edges of petals are beautifully frilled and in addition some are wonderfully fringed.

Any of the above Giant Fringed Petunias: Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/128 oz. \$2.25; 1/64 oz. \$4.00

#### All 4 Burpee's Giant Fringed Petunias

Apple Blossom, Theodosia, Violet Beauty and White Beauty

-SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these four \$1.75 separate varieties, value \$2.00 for only

4441 Super Frills, All Colors Mixed So extremely fringed they have the appearance of double petunias. Colors include pink, deep burgundy, mauve, white and others. Many are self or solid colors; others attractively blotched or variegated in contrasting shades thus lending additional charm to these wonderful flowers. The large blooms are borne profusely above the 18 in. plants. Super Frills Petunias are unsurpassed for garden decoration and for cut flowers in arrangements.

Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.40; ½28 oz. \$3.50

# Giant Ruffled PETUNIAS

Burpee's Giant Ruffled Petunias are held in high esteem for butpee's Grain. Numer returnes are near in might esteem to bedding, borders, cutting, and are most valuable for porch and window boxes as well as for pot culture. The flowers, with their large, wide-open throats, are deeply ruffled, artistically veined and, when they are well grown, often measure 5 to 7 in. across. The plants grow from 11/2 to 2 ft. tall.

3403 Camilla Soft strawberry-pink with an elusive trace of pastel salmon. It is entirely different from all other varieties.

3332 Copper Red Distinct rosy, copper-red with a dark throat. A magnificent rich color and one of the finest petunias.

3423 Evening Star Glistening pure white, accentuated by the rich yellow throat that is veined in a deeper yellow shade.

3368 Mauve Queen Light mauve or heliotrope on a white ground; large, satiny black throat with distinct purple veining.

4233 Giant Fluffy Ruffles, Prize Mixture Mar-velous blend of the very best named giant ruffled petunias in a wide range of beautiful colors and markings. Fine for use as cut flowers. These are large flowers, beautifully waved, and most artistically fringed and ruffled on the edges. Includes a wide range of bright and showy colors—pink, scarlet, crimson, lavender, purple and others. Many are self colors while others are attractively mottled and blotched in a most showy manner.

Any of the above Giant Ruffled Petunias: Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/128 oz. \$2.50; 1/64 oz. \$4.50

Four Finest Giant Ruffled Petunias Camilla, Copper Red, Evening Star, Mauve Queen

4806—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these four separate varieties, value \$2.00 for only \$1.75

W. ATLEE BURPEE CO., Seed Breeders and Growers

# F, Hybrid Multiflora Petunias—Large Plain Edged Flowers

4366 Blue Bonnet (Shown in color) Large 2½ in. clear blue flowers cover 30 in. plants; a better blue than any other we know.
Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.25; ½28 oz. \$4.00

4214 Comanche All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Intense, fiery, vivid scarlet-red flowers, 2½ in. across on dwarf plants that are of uniform, bushy habit, 1 ft. tall. Extremely profuse.

Pkt. (150 seeds) 50½; 3 pkts. \$1.25; ½122 oz. \$4.00

4398 Glitters All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Most attractive, carmine-red starred white; its unique color pattern is uniform and very attractive. Flowers 2½ in. across; plants only 8 in. tall. Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; 3/122 oz. \$5.00

4376 King Salmon (Shown in color) Showy 3 in, flowers of richest deep salmon on compact spreading plants that grow 20 in, tall. Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts, \$1.25; \frac{1}{428} \omega. \$\frac{4}{54.00}\$

4354 Paleface All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Pure white plain petaled flowers 2½ in. across with a golden yellow throat are produced in profusion on compact, uniform plants about 15 in. tall. Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.25; ½22 oz. \$4.00

4234 Pink Sensation All-America Bronze Medal Winner; Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Lovely lightrose-pink flowers, 3in. across. Spreading plants 2ft. tall. Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.25; ½22 oz. \$4.00

4399 Red Satin All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Bright scarlet-red flowers, 2½ in. across, cover the dwarf, mound-like plants which grow about 1 ft. tall. Holds its vivid red color. Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½22 oz. \$5.00

4387 Scarlet Gleam (Shown in color) Brilliant scarlet flowers 3 to 3½ in. across with a slight undertone of orange. Profuse. 20 in. Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.25; ½2s oz. \$4.00

4213 Silver Medal® All-America Silver Medal Winner. Lustrous salmon-cerise gradually changing to rich salmon. The gorgeous blooms grow 3 in. across; the low, bushy plants 1 ft. tall. Prolific and one of the finest for color and good habit.

Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.25; ½28 oz. \$4.00

4386 Yellow Gleam (Shown in color) The deepest yellow of all petunias. Flowers grow 2½ in. across, clear lemon-yellow, darker toward the throat. Color is lighter in hot weather. 30 in. Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.25; ½28 oz. \$4.00

4385 F<sub>1</sub> Multiflora Hybrids, Mixed Colors Each of the above varieties, plus other new ones of which the seed supply is too short to offer separately, in a dazzling mixture for beds and borders with an abundance of the most gorgeous flowers for cutting. Pkt. (150 seeds) 50; 3 pkts. \$1.25; 3/28 ozz. \$4.00

# 4 Choice Burpee F<sub>1</sub> Hybrid Petunias Blue Bonnet, King Salmon, Scarlet Gleam and Yellow Gleam

4841—SPECIAL: One packet each of these 4 separate colors, value \$2.00, only \$1.50



F1 Hybrid Multiflora Petunias 4385 Mixed Colors Pkt. 506

# F, Hybrid Grandiflora Petunias—Large Fringed Edged Flowers

4227 Ballerina All-America Winner. Large, single, soft glowing salmon, exquisitely fringed flowers that are 3½ to 4 in. across on dwarf, compact plants 1 ft. tall, with a spread of 2 ft. and more. Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½128 oz. \$5.00

4369 Fire Dance All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Fringed flowers 3 in. across of rich scarlet-red with a contrasting golden yellow throat are produced on dwarf plants about 15 in. tall.

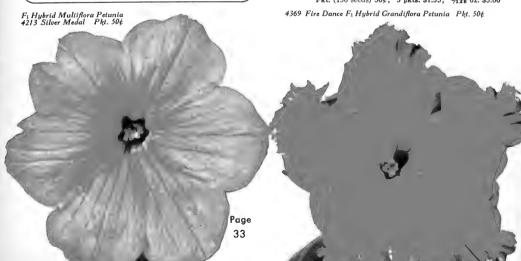
Pkt. (150 seeds) 506; 3 pkts. \$1.35; \( \frac{3}{2} \) 28 oz. \$5.00

3343 Maytime All-America Bronze Medal Winner, Large, clear, light salmon-pink flowers 3½ to 4 in. across with slighth fringed petals. Very uniform, compact, base-branching habit with a spread up to 2½ ft. Nice for window boxes, beds, borders. If Pkt. (150 seeds) 75½; 3 pkts. \$2.00; ½128 oz. \$6.50

4274 Prima Donna All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Giant, prettily fringed, bright rose-pink flowers, 3½ to 4 in. across, freely borne on dwarf, compact spreading plants 1 ft. tall. Pkt. (150 seeds) 50½; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½22 oz. \$5.00

3377 Tango Daintily fringed, deep but bright scarlet-salmon flowers, 3½ to 4 in. across. The plants are uniformly dwarf, about 12 to 15 in. tall, vigorous and make a most striking display.

Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½122 oz. \$5.00





# Alldouble PETUNIAS

#### First Generation F<sub>1</sub> Hybrids

The seeds are obtained at such high cost by hand-pollination that they are worth many times their weight in gold. Extra care should be used in sowing them. Start seeds indoors in shallow boxes, pots or seed-pans eight weeks before your usual outdoor planting time. All are excellent for beds, borders, window boxes, pot-plants and cutting. Their clear, rich colors and good flower substance and form are a delight to all gardeners. The healthy, sturdy plants hold their shape for a long time and have good garden appearance.

3374 Allegro Beautifully fringed, full double flowers 31/2 to 4 in. across, scarlet-salmon in bud opening to an exquisite bright, deep salmon. Plants are 12 in. tall, with spread of 2 ft. across. A lovely, base branching, free blooming dwarf.

4215 Burpee Orchid Unusually lovely, attractively formed flowers, 4 to 4½ in, across, of a rich, light orchid color with deep, rosy purple veins. Intense ruffling and deep fringing add to the beauty of the exquisite blooms. Plants are semi-erect, prolific blooming, the main stems growing about 20 in, tall; the lateral branches spread as much as 3 ft.

4416 **Durplee Saimtol** Loosely double flowers, 4½ to 5 in. across, of a most appealing shade of mid-salmon becoming slightly lighter toward the fringe-edged petals. The delightful salmon color makes it highly desirable as a cut flower. The bushy 18 in. plants make it an excellent subject for garden display in beds and borders. 4416 Burpee Salmon Loosely double flowers, 41/2 to 5

4353 Burpee White Glistening white double fringed flowers, 4½ in. across, are freely produced on strong growing plants 2 ft. tall. We consider Burpee White the best white for garden decoration and cutting that has been produced.

4224 Colossal Shades of Rose All-America Silver Medal Winner. The first giant double petunia ever created in America and the biggest double petunia ever known, many flowers over 5 in. across. All are fully double varying in form from those with crisply fringed and frilled petals to those with prettily ruffled ones. This variation adds interest to a planting as does the difference in color, which ranges from salmony pink through rose-pink to deep, rich, rosy mauve—a most attractive blending of rose shades. Plants are strong growing, 20 in. tall, up to 3 ft. across.

3455 **Sonata** Pure white, deeply fringed, double flowers of perfect form and good substance, 3½ to 4 in. across, are freely borne on vigorous, medium dwarf plants 1½ ft. tall and up to 2 ft. across. Extra choice for garden and cutting.

4391 Giant Alldouble, Glorious Mixture Wonderfully fringed, big, double blooms, round and showy in many fine colors and shades, including salmon, rose, purple, lavender, and pure white. Many of the flowers show a combination of colors. The plants are dwarf, free blooming; average height 15 in. with a spread up to 2 ft. across.

Any of the above Alldouble Petunias: Pkt. (100 seeds) \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.85; 3 pkts. \$2.70; 1000 seeds \$8.00

4197 Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower All-America Silver Medal Winner. Flowers grow 3½ in across, double and of a soft mid-salmon shade never before seen in any petunia. Plants are dwarf, bushy, and grow 16 in. tall and up to 30 in. across. A distinctive medium-sized petunia for beds, borders and cutting.

Pkt. (100 seeds) \$2.00; 2 pkts. \$3.75;
3 pkts. \$5.25; 1000 seeds \$16.50

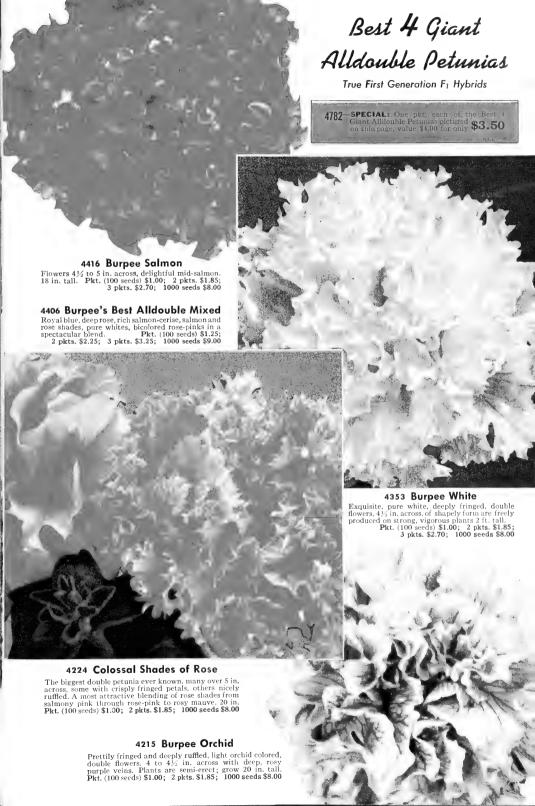
4406 Burpee's Best Alldouble Mixed
wherever grown. Flowers  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 in. across, finely fringed
and ruffled, pure whites, salmon and rose shades, rich
salmon-cerise, bicolored rose-pinks, deep rose and deep royal
blue. Their beauty, exquisite colorings, size, form and faint
spicy fragrance cannot be surpassed by any other petunias.

Pkt. (100 seeds) \$1.25; 2 pkts. \$2.25;
3 pkts. \$3.25; 1000 seeds \$9.00

Best Four Giant Alldouble Petunias

Burpee Orchid, Burpee Salmon, Burpee White and Colossal Shades of Rose

-SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these four varieties, value \$4.00 for only





BURPEE'S GALAXY® SWEET PEAS

Many-flowered Giant Sweet Peas ALL CREATED ON BURPEE'S FLORADALE SEED FARMS

Galaxy Sweet Peas bloom from early summer on, creating a lovely mass effect for each spray has a bevy of flowers. Plants are lovely mass enect for each spray has a bevy of howers. Flams are exceptionally vigorous, and when well grown, produce numerous long stems, each carrying from 5 to 7, and even more, large, well placed, fragrant flowers, with many open at one time. This valuable characteristic can be best appreciated when we compare them with the regular Giants which produce 3 or 4 flowers to a stem.

3158 Jupiter Large, bold flowers of bright, clear carmine-rose.

3217 Mercury Salmon-cerise flowers with silvery pink sheen.

3219 Milky Way Rich cream with faint blush at the edges.

3228 Neptune Clear mid-blue, waved and ruffled flowers.

3289 Venus Soft shade of pink suffused salmon; slightly waved. Any of the above: Pkt. 40c: 1/2 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.25

3304 All Colors Blended The above plus white, carmine, etc.

Pkt. 50¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.50; oz. \$2.75

#### All 5 Burpee Galaxy Sweet Peas

4735-SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the 5 named Galaxy Many-flowered Sweet Peas, value \$2.00 for only

#### BURPEE'S GIANT SWEET PEAS

3402 Ambition Beautiful lavender-lilac flowers, darker at base.

3376 Burpee's Best White The best white-seeded white.

3416 Burpee's Serenade Winner of First Class Certificate, Scottish National Sweet Pea Society. Fawn tinted a lovely delft rose.

3418 Cheers Winner of Award of Merit, National Sweet Pea Society of Great Britain. Soft pink to very light, creamy pink.

3395 Clare Boothe Luce Winner of Award of Merit, National Sweet Pea Society of Great Britain, Deep salmon-pink,

3371 Fireflame A most attractive shade of scarlet-cerise.

3396 Floradale Purple Lovely, true clear dark purple flowers.

3414 Gen. Douglas MacArthur Rich, dark crimson.

4374 Lady Gay Prize Winner. National Sweet Pea Society of Great Britain. Large, well-waved flowers of the very deepest cerise.

3575 Roselight Prize Winner, Scottish National Sweet Pea Society, Bright, clean rose, waved and duplexed flowers on long stems.

3356 The Sultan Velvety black-maroon, Long stemmed: large.

4276 The Burpee Blend Mixture Very finest varieties. 4291 Burpee Novelty Mixture All the finest new named

giant sweet peas of recent introduction in a wide range of colors. Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; 1/4 lb. \$4.00

4318 Jolly Silver Medal Winner, Scottish National Sweet Pea Society, Large salmon-cerise flowers in fours on long stems.

3579 Lassie First Class Certificate, Scottish National Sweet Pea Society, Waved salmon-rose flowers; orange and fawn undertone. Either of the above: Pkt. 35¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.90

#### 5 Most Recent Prize Winners

The first four listed were the winners in the 1959 trials of the National Sweet Pea Society of Great Britain and the Royal Horticaltural Society, while Cherry received an award of the Scotists National Sweet Pea Society. All created on Burpee's Floradale Farms.

3071 Frolic Winner of the Silver Medal. Pink picotee on cream.

3058 Joyful Bright rose suffused cream; large, fragrant flowers.

3065 Ice Cream Big, waved, clear cream, sweet scented flowers.

3049 Rose Gleam The general color effect is bright mid-rose.

3088 Cherry Bright cherry-scarlet flowers, slightly waved.

Any of the above: Pkt. 50¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.50; oz. \$2.75

4761-SPECIAL: One pkt. each of all five prizewinning sweet peas, value \$2.50 for only

3304 Galaxy Sweet Peas, All Colors Blended Pkt. 50¢ Six Most Fragrant Giant Sweet Peas Ambition (lavender-lilac), Cheers (pink on cream), Flash (orange-scarlet), Fragrance (deep cream). Roselight (rose-pink) and Niagara (light blue) 4732 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these six varieties, value \$1.50 for only 3071 Frolic Sweet Pea Pkt, 506





Burpee's Giant Heat-Resistant Sweet Peas in bloom in late July

# GIANT HEAT-RESISTANT SWEET PEAS

Come into bloom shortly after the Spring Flowering group with much larger flowers lasting over a longer period. Plants are vigorous and continue to be free blooming and profuse after other types of sweet peas planted at the same time have ceased to bloom.

3102 Bashful Soft, clear blush pink shading to a creamy pink.

4287 Blue Velvet Deep blue blooms. Attractive in garden or cut.

4292 Flash Bright orange-scarlet; a color that is full of life.

3106 Fountain of Youth Rich cream tone; fragrant.

4296 Lucky Salmon-rose on white that is most appealing.

3138 Niagara Clear, cool, light blue; delightfully sweet scented.

3126 Santa Barbara Rich deep rose; jewel-like and radiant.

3112 Sweetheart Alluring cerise-pink on a cream background.

4265 Giant Heat-Resistant, All Colors Mixed

Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; 1/4 lb. \$4.00

#### All 8 Giant Heat-Resistant Sweet Peas

-SPECIAL: One pkt. each of all the above \$1.50

Giant Ruffled Sweet Peas are Burpee introductions which are distinguished by unusual duplexness and extra frilliness, giving a double appearance to the large, waved and ruffled flowers.

4277 Ruffled Blue True blue with no purple undertones.

3337 Bonnie Ruffles Salmon-pink on rich cream ground.

3324 Fragrance Deep cream; greenish tinge at base of petals.

3365 Ruffled Crimson Rich satiny crimson; deeper at edges. 3381 Ruffled Rose Pure shade of soft warm rose. Exquisite,

4285 Ruffled White Outstanding white-seeded ruffled white.

4293 All Colors Mixed Above named varieties plus others. Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; 1/4 lb. \$4.00

#### All 6 Giant Ruffled Sweet Peas

4728—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the six named Giant Ruffled Sweet Peas, value \$1.50 for only \$1

#### EARLY FLOWERING SWEET PEAS

Burpee's Early Flowering Sweet Peas come into bloom outdoors before the summer heat arrives—usually 3 to 4 weeks earlier than the Giant varieties. Valuable for growing in frost-free sections.

3469 Burpee's Giant Pink Lovely shade of rose-pink.

3439 Burpee's Lavender Exquisite light wisteria-lavender.

4288 Burpee's White Giant White-seeded pure white.

3421 Crimson Banner Rosy crimson flowers in 3's and 4's.

3573 Nancynell Gorgeous salmon-pink on cream. Long stems. 3408 WAVES Mid-blue, exceedingly fragrant, large blooms.

4241 Finest Mixture A well-balanced and complete mixture. Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; 1/4 lb. \$4.00

#### All 6 Early Flowering Sweet Peas

4721—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the 6 named Early Sweet Peas, value \$1.50 for only

#### **EARLY MULTIFLORA SWEET PEAS**

4281 Mixed Colors More flowers to a stem. Flowers are of medium size, stems are long and strong. The number of blooms to a stem seems to vary with the color—five, six and more under favorable conditions. Many are strikingly waved. They range from white through shades of pink and rose, orange-cerise and lavender. Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.75; ½ lb. \$4.50.

#### SPRING FLOWERING HEAT-RESISTANT SWEET PEAS — Cuthbertson Type

Come into bloom, outdoors, before the Giants but do not remain in bloom nearly so long. Plants are vigorous and produce many large long-stemmed blooms. Vines are quite heat-resistant.

3397 Light Blue (Hazel) Pleasing clear shade of azure-blue.

4377 Concerto Rosy crimson blooms, changing to rich crimson.

4378 Duet Lovely salmon cream-pink flowers in 3's and 4's.

3399 Blush Pink (Helen) Light rose-pink on white ground.

4381 Rhapsody A clear mid-blue sweet pea of great charm.

3328 Scarlet Cerise (Coline) Large flowers; splendid.

4382 Sonata Deep cream, well ruffled flowers in 3's and 4's. 4383 Symphony Warm, brilliant shade of salmon-orange.

4379 Tone Poem Ruffled, light salmon cream-pink blooms.

3432 White (Janet) Remarkable pure color. Black-seeded.

4275 All Colors Mixed All colors listed above and others.

Any of the above Spring Flowering Heat-Resistant Sweet Peas: Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$4.00

7 Spring Flowering Large Sweet Peas Light Blue, Concerto, Duet, Blush Pink, Rhapsody, Sonata, Symphony

4843—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 7 separate varieties, value \$1.75 for only

# **NASTURTIUMS**

Ever popular plants of the easiest culture, blooming most profusely in ordinary, well-drained garden soil; if overly rich it will cause plants to produce more leaves than flowers. They are most useful plants for dry, sandy, or gravelly locations. Nasturtiums are delightfully sweet scented and are very desirable for cutting as well as for beds and borders.

#### Semi-Tall Giant Double

Flowers are extra large, sweet-scented, double and semi-double with eight or more petals; plants are semi-tall and splendid for beds, or training upon strings. Valuable for cutting.

3266 Burpee's Scarlet Fiery, vivid orange-scarlet.

3268 Burpee's Mahogany Dark shade of mahogany.

3241 Golden Gleam All-America Gold Medal Winner.

3269 Orange Gleam Deep orange with mahogany zone. 4172 Mixed Colors Wonderful array of many colors.

3287 Tigered Flowered Mixed Bizarre markings.

Any of above: Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; 2 ozs. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$2.25

Four Semi-Tall Double Nasturtiums The Above 4 Separate Colors 4741-SPECIAL: One pkt. of each color, value \$1.00 for 85¢

# Single Nasturtiums

Because of their charm and old-fashioned loveliness, single-flowered nasturtiums are in demand for garden and cutting.

4161 Gorgeous Mixed, Dwarf, All Colors Mixture of lovely colors and markings, 12 in. Pkt. 15¢, oz. 45¢; 2 ozs. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

4176 Fordhook Favorites, Tall, All Colors Mixed Splendid for large beds or for climbing on trellises or string.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; 2 ozs. 75¢; ¼ 1b. \$1.25



#### **Dwarf Giant Double**

Plants are of compact, bush or globular form, about 1 ft. high and  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. across. Giant double and semi-double sweet-scented flowers.

3264 Golden Globe Bright. 4177 Cherry Rose Exquisite. 3261 Garnet Gem Rich.

3265 Mahogany Gem Nice.

3252 Primrose Gem Pretty. 3262 Scarlet Globe Showy. 4173 Mixed Colors Colorful.

3273 Orange Glory Large.

Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; 2 ozs. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$2.25

Five Dwarf Giant Double Nasturtiums Cherry Rose, Golden Globe, Mahogany Gem, Orange Glory and Primrose Gem

4743—SPECIAL: One pkt. each, value \$1.25 for only \$1

# Nicotiana Sensation Mixed Pkt. 25¢

#### NICOTIANA — Sweet Scented

Long, tube shaped, petunia-like flowers, the petals of which form a beautiful five-pointed star. Very fragrant and profuse blooms during the entire season. Flowers borne on tall flower stalks and found in a full range of colors. Foliage low and busby. Nicotiana is a long time garden favorite but unlike the old forms, the flowers of these remain open throughout the day even in bright sunshine. Easy to grow; thrives in almost any location.

4171 Sensation Mixed Colors from white through mauve to chartreuse, wine, deep red and chocolate. Vigorous plants, strong flower stems approximately 2 ft. tall.

4179 Daylight Pure white flowers. Ideal for providing all summer long white blooms for the garden or cutting. Grows 1½ ft. tall. Either of the above Nicotiana:

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.40

#### NIGHT-SCENTED STOCKS

Matthiola bicornis

3231 Small purplish lilac flowers which emit a delightful perfume in the morning and evening or after a shower. In bloom from July to September. Grow 15 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

#### NIEREMBERGIA --- Blue Cup Flower

Plants form a dense mat, 6 in. high, 1 ft. and more across, and are thickly covered through the summer and fall with beautiful cup-shaped flowers, 1 to 1½ in. across. Wonderful for edgings and rock gardens.

3247 Hippomanica True lavender-blue. 3254 Purple Robe All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Deep but rich violet-blue. Either variety of Nierembergia:

Pkt. 35e; 2 pkts. 60e; 1/128 oz. \$1.00

#### NIGELLA --- Love-in-a-Mist

Pretty old-fashioned double flowers, nestled among the fine, feathery foliage. Good for cutting; mixes well with others. 1½ ft. tall.

3256 Miss Jekyll Rich cornflower-blue. 3257 Damascena Double Mixed White and various shades of blue well blended.

Either of the above Nigella:

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

# ORNITHOGALUM

Cape Chincherichee

3279 Thyrsoldes Dense spikes of 30 to 40 white, star-like flowers, 1 in. across, are clustered in a triangularly shaped head on clustered in a triangularly snaped nead on stems 1½ to 2 ft. tall. If sown early, some blooms may be had the same year. Store bulbs for following year. Nice for cutting. Pkt. 35¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.25; ⅙ oz. \$2.25

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3231 Night-Scented Stocks Pkt. 25¢



Nierembergia 3254 Purple Robe Pkt. 35¢

Nigella 3256 Miss Jekyll Pkt. 25¢

Ornithogalum 3279 Thursoides Pkt. 356











4232 Glamour, New Giant Tetra Phlox Pkt. 50¢

# Annual PHLOX—Texan Pride

One of the easiest grown and most satisfactory of all annuals. No other flower can surpass their brilliant colorings. Grows and thrives in any kind of soil in a sunny position, but prefers a light, rich loam. Begins to bloom in early summer and continues until fall if faded flowers are removed. Fine for bedding, borders, edgings and cutting. Take your choice of the tall giant tetras, the tall giants, the tall or dwarf large flowered types or the starred and fringed phlox. All are lovely in the garden and in arrangements.

# Tall Giant Phlox

Phlox drummondi gigantea

4207 Art Shades A wonderful range of soft pastel colors and delicate shades in mixture. Individual flowers are larger than the grandiflora type and borne most freely in massive trusses on upright plants. 10 in. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75

4207 Tall Giant Phlox, Art Shades Pkt. 256



# **Burpee's Giant Tetra PHLOX**

Burpee's giant tetraploids (tetra for short) were originated by treating the best diploid varieties with colchicine. The flowers are larger, stems are stronger and the plants have a lusher appearance.

4232 Glamour CHWIHIS YEAR 1960 All-America Bronze Medal Winner. A delightful, glamorous shade of mid-salmon with a creamy white "eye." Flowers are very large, 134 in. across, and borne in showy clusters above the rich green foliage.

Being a tetraploid, Glamour is a vigorous, uniform, free flowering annual phlox of a most pleasing warm color. Highly desirable for garden and cutting purposes. The plants grow 14 in. tall. Sparkles discontinued as Glamour is much better. Pkt. 50¢; 1/16 oz. \$3.00; 1/8 oz. \$5.50

4185 **Tetra Red** Flowers 1½ in across, scented, deep red with white "eye." Vigorous, 20 in. plants. Pkt. 50¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½8 oz. \$2.00

4404 Giant Tetra Mixed Colors Very select range of colors. Many self colors, others with contrasting white "eyes." Individual flowers are large and make up into big, showy clusters. 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 50¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½8 oz. \$2.00



Starred and Fringed Phlox 4418 Twinkle, Dwarf Star Mixed Pkt. 25¢

# Starred and Fringed Phlox

The medium-sized, brilliantly colored flowers have fan-tastically fringed and pointed petals or are artistically starred. An endless variety of colors and combinations.

4198 Tall Mixed Free blooming plants about 1 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75

4418 Twinkle, Dwarf Star Mixed All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Best colors and color combinations. 6 in. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85

# Tall Large Phlox

Phlox drummondi grandiflora

Well-branched plants, 15 in. tall, with large clusters of many beautiful flowers, each of which grows about 1 in. across.

3307 Apricot Bright, soft chamois-rose. 3327 Fordhook Crimson Gorgeous color.

3318 Violet Uniform clear soft violet.

3305 White Very pure, glistening white. Any of the above Tall Large Phlox:

Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.75

4193 Fordhook Finest Mixed Colors Blend of all best colors for a gorgeous display. Effective in masses. Pkt. 15¢ 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.40

#### All Four Tall Large Phlox

4763—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 4 separate colors, value \$1.00 for only 85¢

# **Dwarf Large Phlox**

Phlox drummondi nana compacta

Symmetrical, dwarf, compact plants growing about 6 in. tall. They are exceedingly pretty in beds, borders or rock garpots and window-boxes or as edgings to taller growing phlox or other flowers

3297 Cinnabar Red Scarlet-vermilion.

3331 Fireball Rich fiery crimson-scarlet.

3298 Isabellina Primrose-yellow. Refined.

3291 Pink Bright chamois-pink. Pretty.

3301 Snowball Flowers of purest white.

4192 Dwarf Compact, Mixed balanced blend of all colors in this type.

Any of the above Dwarf Large Phlox: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.75

#### All Five Dwarf Large Phlox

-SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 5 separate colors, for low borders, value \$1.25 for only

# PORTULACA—Rose Moss or Sun Plant

For a brilliant display in low borders, edgings, beds, rock gardens or ground cover, nothing can excel portulaca. Blooms early and continuously until frost; must have a sunny location, but will grow in almost any soil if well drained. Forms a dense, thick carpet, 4 to 6 in. tall. Seed is very fine so should be barely covered when sown. Nice to use between stepping stones. May be used in window boxes if they are in a sunny location. Flowers will open only in full sunlight.

#### **Double Portulaca**

Flowers are like little roses. Seed saved from perfectly double flowers will produce some singles. As these usually bloom first, they can be removed if desired and a double flowering plant pit in its place later. They are very easy to transplant. Grown by some in pots or boxes.

3308 Pink Bright and lively color that appeals greatly to everyone.

3285 Red Large scarlet-red blooms for a very striking effect.

3284 Salmon Exquisite shade; most attractive, unusually soft tone,

3282 White Yellow stamens add to the beauty of the blooms. 3295 Yellow Soft orange-yellow of a rich and distinct shade.

Any of above separate colors: Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

#### Five Double Portulacas Pink, Red, Salmon, White, Yellow

4791 — SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these five separate colors, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.25 for only

#### 4194 Single Portulaca, Mixed Colors

Orange, red, white, buff and other shades of unusual beauty for a Orange, red, white, bull aim other shades of musual beauty for a glorious floral carpet display in a sunny location. Flowers are quite large and completely cover the little plants which grow 4 to 6 in. tall. Especially effective when it is used in masses.

15¢ in. tall. Especially effective when it is used in masses. Pkt.  $15\phi$   $\frac{1}{1}$ 6 oz.  $45\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $75\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.25

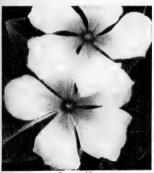
#### Magic Carpet® Portulaca 4436 Best Double Mixed

Lively blend of pink, red, salmon, white and yellow, some of which are striped with contrasting colors. Unsurpassed in brilliance. Can withstand the hottest weather and drought. Fine for mass display.

Pkt. 25¢; ½,6 oz. \$1.25; ½,6 oz. \$2.25



4436 Magic Carpet Double Portulaca, Mixed Colors Pht. 25¢



Periwinkle 3281 Twinkles Pkt. 25¢

#### PENSTEMON — Bearded Tongue

3387 Giant Floradale Long flower-spikes closely set with gloxinia-like blooms in brilliant colors; some prettily edged. 2 to 3 ft.
Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

Penstemon, 3387 Giant Floradale Pkt. 40¢



#### PERIWINKLE—Vinca rosea

Erect, bushy plants with glossy, laurel-like leaves and large, single blooms, 1½ in across. In bloom all summer and fall. Never troubled by insects or disease. Stands heat. 1½ ft. tall except Little Pinkie.

3278 Bright Eyes White with rose eye. Charming in rock gardens and borders. 3288 Purity The flowers are pure white. Splendid alone or with other varieties.

3281 Twinkles Blush pink with a bright red eye, surrounded by a glowing rose halo. 3286 Willie Winkle Bright rose color. A particularly pleasing and refined flower.

Any of the above Periwinkle: Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00; 1/2 oz. \$1.85

4187 **Mixed Colors** All the above colors. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

3576 Little Pinkie Lovely, rich, bright rose flowers on dwarf plants, 10 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. \$1.35; ½ oz. \$2.50

#### PHACELIA — Bee's Friend

3292 Campanularia (California Bluebell). Gentian-blue, bell-shaped flowers marked with five white anther lobes. 9 in.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ 0z. 75¢; ½ 0z. \$1.40

Phacelia 3292 Campanularia Pkt. 256



#### POPPIES, SHIRLEY

Poppies are charming subjects in the garden because of their brilliantly colored flowers and the freedom with which they are produced. They are easy to grow in any good soil that is exposed to the sun.

4181 American Legion Dazzling orangescarlet single flowers of enormous size and great beauty. An improvement on the old Flanders poppy. Rich and colorful. 2 ft.
Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.20

4189 Single All Colors Mixed Large 4189 Single All Colors Mixed Large single flowers with papery, silk-like petals in dainty tones of pink, salmon, apricot, terra cotta, etc.; many shaded and edged with other colors. Golden anthers and white centers. Grows 1½ ft. tall. Pkt. 15¢. ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 80¢

4186 Double All Colors Mixed Double and semi-double blooms in an almost endless variety of attractive colors. Many are delicately suffused with a second tint, which adds so much to their appearance. 1½ ft. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

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Burpee Seeds are Guaranteed

Shirley Poppy 4186 Double Mixed Pkt. 256





Scarlet Sage (Salvia) 4244 America (Globe of Fire) Pkt. 256



3463 Salvia farinacea, Blue Bedder Pkt. 256



4242 Salpiglossis, Mixed Colors Pkt. 206



#### SCARLET SAGE—Salvia

Scarlet Sage is one of the most brilliant bedding plants; blooms from early summer until Scarter Sage is one or the most billiam beauting plants, mount after the frost. Popular for beds, borders, edgings and pot culture; may be used for cutting. There are tall and dwarf varieties for different purposes. Best treated as tender annuals; the seed must be started early indoors in pots, boxes or seed-pans so as to have plants large enough to set in the ground outdoors when weather and soil have become thoroughly warm.

4244 America (Globe of Fire) Round, bushy plants, of uniform growth, 1½ ft. tall, covered with large, well-filled, upright spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers. Comes into bloom quite early in the season and continues to flower profusely until killed by frost. bloom quite early in the season and continues to flower profusely until killed by frost. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

3473 Blaze of Fire Most attractive, brilliant scarlet flower spikes cover the dwarf, compact plants from early in the season until frost. The showy little plants are ideal for low plantings in beds or borders. Grow 15 in. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ 0z. \$1.50; ½ 0z. \$2.75

4246 Bonfire (Clara Bedman) Dense, dark green foliaged plants of erect, globular growth producing their bright scarlet-red flowers in great profusion. Very striking, 2 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

4251 Splendens The tallest growing and largest flowered. Loose sprays of rich scarlet blooms; plants grow 2½ to 3 ft. tall. We offer an improved stock. Because of its height, it is mostly used in large beds or in backgrounds. Excellent where long-stemmed spikes of salvia are wanted for cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25.

4249 St. John's Fire The earliest and dwarfest growing scarlet sage that we list. Flowers are bright scarlet-red and produced profusely on bushy plants which grow about 10 in. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.50; ½ oz. \$2.75

3474 Zurich Scarlet-red blooms of good size completely cover the bushy, dwarf, compact plants. Grows 1 ft. tall. Early. Nice to edge taller plants or other varieties of scarlet sage.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25; 1/4 oz. \$2.25

# BLUE SALVIA — Farinacea and Patens, two distinctly beautiful types

Plants are free flowering and most attractive in borders and small beds. Blooms all summer and fall. Nice to use with other flowers in bouquets. Most easily grown, 2½ ft. tall, Where winters are not too severe, the farinacea type may be treated as perennials; in mild climates, patens is a half-hardy perennial. Both are easily grown as annuals.

3463 Farinacea Blue Bedder Rich, deep Wedgwood-blue flowers in many-whorled racemes for the entire length of the stem, Its airy flower texture is good in borders.

4278 Patens Extra large flowers of the clearest indigo-blue imaginable. Different in form from Farinacea, the flowers being broad, tubular and lipped. A real "blue."

Either of the above Blue Salvia: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25; 1/4 oz. \$2.25 Perennial Blue Salvia, Azurea Grandistora, page 60.

#### SALPIGLOSSIS, EMPEROR

Velvet Flower

4242 All Colors Mixed Gorgeously colored, trumpet-shaped flowers of velvety texture, charmingly penciled, netted, and veined. July until frost. Grow 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

#### SANVITALIA — Creeping Zinnia

4247 Procumbens fl. pl. Masses of small zinnia-like double blooms of deep golden yellow on creeping or spreading plants. 6 in. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

#### SCHIZANTHUS

Poor Man's Orchid

3505 Giant Mixed Bushy plants with finely laciniated foliage and hundreds of large butterfly-like blooms of many colors, large butterny-like blooms of many colors, marked and blotched with contrasting colors, Also known as Butterfly flower. For beds, borders and pot culture. 2 to 2½ ft. Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.35; ½ oz. \$2.50

# RUDBECKIA — Black-Eyed Susan

Easily grown in almost any soil and situation—sun or half-shade. Excellent for garden display and fine for cutting. Plants bloom continuously during summer and fall.

3382 My Joy Flowers are well formed, single, daisy-like, 3 in. and more across, with showy orange-yellow petals and a rather small dark center cone. Grow 2 ft, tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.40

3314 Starlight Semi-double and single showy flowers in varying tones of light yellow and velvety mahogany. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

4397 Gloriosa Daisies, Mixed Colors Giant hybrid tetraploid rudbeckias with immense flowers of bright yellow, mahog-Iminense howers of origin yellow, manogar any and glorious bicolors. Profuse 3 ft, plants. Perennial, but can be treated as an annual if the seeds are sown early. Pkt. 25¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.00; 1/48 oz. \$1.85

3143 Gloriosa Golden Daisy — N E W Single 5 in., golden yellow flowers with dark brown eyes. Blooms July to frost. 30 in, tall.

Pkt. 35¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.25; 1/16 oz. \$2.00

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3505 Schizanthus, Giant Mixed Pkt. 35¢



Rudbeckia, 3382 My Joy Pkt. 25¢



# SCABIOSA—Pincushion Flower, Mourning Bride

Called Pincushion Flower because the stamens of some varieties are light in color and stick out in contrast to the petals so that they resemble pins stuck in a cushion. The deep black color of one variety has caused it to be called Mourning Bride. Scabiosas are easy to grow and do well in widely different kinds of soil. Bloom from midsummer until frost if flowers are not allowed to go to seed. Prized for cutting.

#### Tall Large Double Scabiosa

An old favorite, greatly improved in the size and color of flowers as well as length of stems. Wide color range, Ideal for cutting and garden use, 3 ft. tall.

3462 Black Mourning Bride. Unusual shade of deep purplish black. Interesting,

3489 Blue Moon All-America Winner. Rich dark lavender-blue flowers.

3467 Cherry Red Glowing cherry-red; pleasing, unusual red tone; nice for cutting.

3428 Rose Pink Popular shade of deep but bright rose-pink. A favorite for all uses. 3461 Pure White Large dazzling white flowers with good form and substance.

4252 All Colors Mixed All the best colors nicely blended in a grand mixture.

Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 70¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.20

4256 Giant Imperial Hybrids The extremely large, fully double, ballshaped flowers, 2½ to 3 in. across, are made up of broad, wavy petals without the usual pincushion center. They come in a full range of colors from white, salmon, coral, rose and red to various pleasing tones of blue. Borne erect on tall, stiff 55 stems makes them highly valuable for cutting and garden. 3 ft. tall. Pkt. stems makes them highly valuable for cutting and garden. 3 ft. tall. Pkt. 125¢

#### Five Tall Large Flowered Double Scabiosa Black, Blue Moon, Cherry Red, Rose Pink and Pure White

4717—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 5 separate colors, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.25 for only

#### Dwarf Double Scabiosa

3465 Mixed Colors Compact, free blooming plants, 11/2 ft. high, that are ideal for edgings and beds; flowers grow 1 to 11/2 in. across. Pkt. 25/2: 11/2 oz. 75/2 Perennial Scabiosa, page 61.



#### Medium Tall Double Scabiosa

Flowers grow 11/2 to 2 in. across, almost spherical Flowers grow 1½ to 2 in. across, almost spherical in shape and borne on long, stiff stems. The plants grow 2 ft, tall and bloom profusely all summer. Being upright, sturdy growers, they do not topple over in heavy winds or rain as taller growing scabiosa is often apt to do when it is not staked.

3483 Salmon Pink Shades Colors vary from deep rose-salmon to pure salmon-pink, Exquisite. 4245 Blue, White and Pink Shades Blend of azure-blue, white and shades of deep to light pink.

3471 Heavenly Blue All-America Bronze Medal Winner, Round, soft, lovely azure-blue flowers,

Any of the above Medium Tall Double Scabiosa: Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.40

#### STAR OF TEXAS

3453 Light canary-yellow flowers freely produced on bushy plants, 1½ ft. high and as much across. Stems are thin and strong. Does well anywhere, even in dry places.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ 0z. 85¢; ¼ 0z. \$1.50

#### STEVIA — Sweet Scented

3456 Serrata Fragrant, small white flowers freely produced in clusters all summer. Fine to mix with other cut flowers. 2 ½ ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

#### SUNFLOWER — Helianthus

Beautiful plants for use as backgrounds or screens on account of their stately growth. Thrive in almost any soil exposed to the sun; bloom profusely until killed by frost.

4272 Chrysanthemum Flowered Golden yellow chrysanthemum-like, double blooms, 6 to 8 in. across, made up of thou-sands of small fringed petals forming a broad, thick flower. Plants nearly 7 ft. tall.

4268 Red Artistic flowers of chestnut-red, bright red, crimson, some tipped with yellow, others yellow suffused red. Flowers vary in coloring and in size. 5 to 6 ft. tall.

Either variety of Sunflower: Pkt. 20¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10

#### SWEET WILLIAM

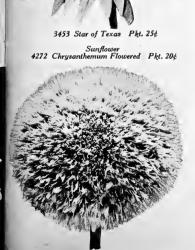
4309 Mixed Colors An old-fashioned flower which, because of its easy culture and beauty, is extensively used in solid beds, front of borders, or in rock gardens, Many beautiful colors, some starred and extend others with determine the property of the colors of the colors with the colors with a page Control of t mottled, others with clear white eyes. Grow as an annual because plants will flower the as an annual obstacle plants with novel the first season in late summer and fall if seed is sown early. Where winters are not severe, plants will live over. Grow 15 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.35



3456 Stevia serrata Pkt. 256

4309 Sweet William Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢





Burpee Seeds Grow



Trysomic Seven Weeks Stocks 3359 All Colors Mixed Pkt. 35¢

#### **Trysomic Seven Weeks Stocks**

3359 All Colors Mixed Earliest stocks 3399 All Colors Wilked Earniest stocks are ever developed; do well where stocks are difficult to grow. Branching plants bearing a very high percentage of double flowers from white through pink and rose, deep crimson, dark blue and purple. All colors in mixture on plants growing 12 to 15 in. tall. Pkt. 335; 1/3 co. 32.25; 1/4 co. 3.2.25; 1/4 co. 3.2.45.2

#### 5 Giant Imperial Stocks

Antique Copper (coppery red). Buttercup (deep yellow), Elk's Pride (royal purple),

Fiery Blood Red. Shasta (snow white)

4786—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of all 5 colors, value \$1.25 for only

## TITHONIA -- Mexican Sun Flower

4344 Torch All-America Silver Medal Winner. Tithonia is a stately plant with spectacular, single, dahlia-like fiery orangered flowers 3 to 4 in. across, which are nice for cutting. The tall plants are suitable for backgrounds or hedges and are of compact, upright bushy form. They are very robust growing. The brilliant flowers are borne in abundance during August and September. The plants grow 4 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.75

# **STOCKS** Large Flowered Double

Heavy spikes of handsome, fragrant flowers, like small rosettes, are produced in a wide range of soft and distinct shades. Fine for bedding, borders and cutting. For best results, sow seed indoors in shallow boxes or seed-pans 6 to 8 weeks before your usual outdoor planting time. Keep in a temperature of 65° F, or less from the time the seed is sown until the plants have made 8 leaves so that they will form buds. When plants are large enough to handle, pot them plants are large enough to handle, pot them up singly and transplant to the garden when weather gets warm. Our strains pro-duce a high percentage of exquisite, large, well-rounded double flowers.

#### Early Giant Imperial Stocks

Exquisite, well-rounded, large fully double blooms on long stems. Valuable for garden and greenhouse forcing. 2 to 2½ ft. tall.

3446 Antique Copper Coppery red.

3448 Dark Blue Attractive: distinct.

3388 Buttercup Beautiful deep yellow. 3447 Elk's Pride Rich royal purple.

3347 Lavender Lovely clear shade.

3348 Light Pink Soft, flesh pink.

3479 Fiery Blood Red Vivid; intense,

3407 Deep Rose Pink Popular. 3431 Shasta Glistening snow white.

4271 Mixed Colors All the above choice and other colors in a grand mixture.

Any of the above Giant Imperial Stocks: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.75

#### **Dwarf Ten Weeks Stocks**

3424 All Colors Mixed A favorite class, coming into bloom in about ten weeks after seed is sown. A mixture of all colors. Bushy, compact plants 15 to 18 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

Double Sweet Wivelsfield Pht. 35e

#### SWEET WIVELSFIELD

3372 Double Flowered Mixed Colors Distinct race of "Pinks" with large flowers in various shades of pink, rose, crimson, scarlet and others, with centers and edges of contrasting colors. Grow 1 ft. tall and bloom profusely for many weeks during the summer. Valuable for border, rock garden, edgings, and make nice cut flowers. Blooms are larger and come in a greater variety of colors than Sweet William.

Pkt. 35¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25; 1/4 oz. \$2.00



3512 Thunbergia alata, Mixed Pkt. 25¢

#### THUNBERGIA

Black-Eyed Susan Vine

3512 Alata Mixed An unusually pretty little climber or may be used as a trailing plant for ground cover, hanging baskets plant for ground cover, hanging baskets and window-boxes. Forms a dense mat of foliage and flowers. Colors range through yellow, orange and buff to pure white, some with black eyes. Grows 5 ft. long.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

#### RUNNERLESS STRAWBERRIES FROM SEED

4279 Baron Solemacher Produces the largest berries obtainable from seed, and while much smaller than the usual cultivated berries, these have a delicate "wild" while fluctuation in the usual contracted befores, these have a deficace while flavor and aroma that are quite appealing. The plants do not produce runners, so are suitable for use in edgings or rock gardens. Heavy yielder. Very easy to grow.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢; ½2 oz. \$1.25

#### TIGRIDIA

Tigerflower, Mexican Shell Flower

3517 Mixed Colors Large, brilliantly colored, triangularly shaped flowers in many varied hues of scarler, rose, yellow and orange. Smaller petals are marked with carmine, purple or mahogany and sometimes tinged pink, lawender and apricot. Blooms in August and September. 2 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85 Tigridia bulbs, page 119.

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4344 Tithonia Torch Pkt. 25¢



3517 Tigridia Mixed Colors Pkt. 256



#### TORENIA - Wishbone Flower

The compact, bushy plants, 1 ft. tall, bloom during the summer and fall with flowers that have a striking resemblance to miniature snapdragons. Fine for beds, borders, pots, window-boxes and rock gardens. Do well in semi-shady locations.

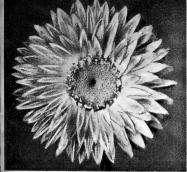
3504 Fournier! Light blue blotched deeper blue in contrast to a yellow throat.

3496 White Wings Ivory tinted rose. Either variety of Torenia:

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.75

3504 Torenia fournieri Pkt. 25¢









3236 Ornamental Grass Pkt. 25¢



3444 Statice sinuata, Deep Rose Pkt. 20¢

# STRAWFLOWERS AND OTHER EVERLASTINGS

With the exception of Job's Tears, Briza maxima grass and Honesty, the varieties listed on this page are desirable for use as fresh cut flowers, and largely grown to dry for winter bouquets. Job's Tears is an annual grass grown for its grayish white seeds which are strung as beads. Briza maxima holds its panicles when dried and may be used alone or with dried flowers. Gourd fruits, when dried, are used for ornaments. Honesty is prized for its satiny, parchment-like partitions of the dried seed pods. The best method to dry the flowers and Briza maxima grass is to cut the material before it tions of the dried seed pods. The best method to dry the howers and BHZZ maxima grass is to cut the material between is fully developed, remove foliage, bunch loosely, and hang head downward in a cool, airy, shady place. The flowers of Bells of Ireland, page 19, and Celosia (Cockscomb), page 22, also last a long time if dried as you would everlastings. Flowers should be fresh and free from water. Dry them slowly and never over artificial heat.

#### ACROCLINIUM — Helipterum

3002 Double, Mixed Colors Double and semi-double daisy-like flowers 2 in. across with strawy petals. White, chamois, flesh color and rose in mixture. Nice used fresh or to dry for winter bouquets. 15 in. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ¼ 02. 70¢; ½ 0x. \$1.25

#### EVERLASTING FLOWERS

4117 Mixed Varieties Included are dif-ferent flowers that can be dried for winter bouquets—Acroclinium, Globe Amaranth, Helichrysum, Honesty, Statice, etc. Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 70¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

3141 Burpee's Best Mixture Choice assortment of the finest flowers and grasses best suited for drying. A superb mixture. Pkt. 25¢; ½ 0z. 75¢; ½ 0z. \$1.40

# GRASS, ORNAMENTAL

3236 Briza maxima (Quaking Grass) The bushy plants grow 12 to 15 in. tall and bear a profusion of oddly formed, flattened cone-shaped heads. Useful for edges in beds and borders. May be dried for winter decoration or used in the fresh state.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

GLOBE AMARANTH Gomphrena globosa

4094 Mixed Colors Attractive, clover-like, white, pink, flesh and red strawy flower heads, about ¾ in. across, in a choice mixture. Bloom from midsummer until frost. May be used as fresh cut flowers or dried as an everlasting. 1½ to 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25



4103 Helichrysum, Mixed Colors Pkt. 15¢

#### **HELICHRYSUM** — Strawflower

4103 Mixed Colors Colors include crimson, rose, salmon, yellow and white. Large, double flowers, often 2½ in. and more across, are borne profusely from midsum-mer until fall. The most widely grown of all everlastings for winter bouquets and popular, too, as fresh cut flowers. 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 55¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

#### HONESTY - Lunaria annua

4102 A popular everlasting, grown extensively for the silvery white, paper-like, flattened partitions of the round seed pods, which, when dried, make attractive winter decorations. Purple flowers. 1½ to 2½ ft. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. 81.40

Ornamental Gourds, page 26

4102 Honesty (Lunaria annua) Pkt. 25¢

#### STATICE SINUATA — Limonium

Splendid clusters of strawy blooms on stiff spendid clusters of strawy blooms on stin stems. Unique colorings and light, graceful, oddly formed sprays. Lasts for months when dried. Effective alone or with other everlastings, and in fresh or dried condition. Easy to grow. Plants are 2 to 2½ ft. high.

3444 Deep Rose Pleasing shade of rose.

3466 Market Growers Blue Deep blue 3457 Pure White Large heads of white.

Any of the above: Pkt. 20¢; 1/4 oz. 55¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.00

3443 **Mixed Colors** Blue, rose and white. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 95¢

4266 Art Shades Wonderful mixture, including fawn, pink, red, salmon, mauve, yellow, white, blue and nearest to orange. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

#### JOB'S TEARS — Coix lacryma

3188 An ornamental grass which does well anywhere in ordinary soil; widely grown for its large, hard and shiny gray seeds which, when dried, are strung as beads. Usual height, 2 to 3 ft., sometimes taller. Pkt. 20g; oz. 50g; 2 ozs. 90g

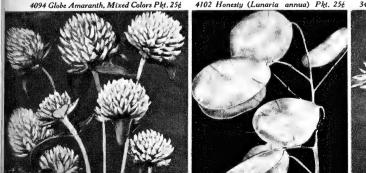
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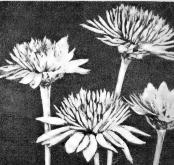
Attaining attaining attaining with silky flowers measuring 1½ inches in diameter which are highly prized for dried bouquets. Our mixture includes white and various shades of pink, bright rose, red and purple. The plants bloom from July on and grow to a height of 2 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

All Flower Seeds are Postpaid

3429 Xeranthemum, Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢







3501 Verbena, Floradale Beauty Pkt. 25¢

#### 4 Giant Flowered Verbenas Apple Blossom, Royale, Spectrum Red and White

4727—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 4 separate varieties for a gay bed or border, value \$1.00 for only

#### **DWARF ERECT VERBENA, RAINBOW MIXTURE**

3468 All Colors Mixed Extremely early to bloom. The center spike is so early blooming this strain is weeks ahead of any other. 8 in. tall. Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.10; ¼ oz. \$1.85

Perennial Verbena, page 62,

## VERBENA

Colorful, dwarf plants, ideal for edgings, ground cover, rock gardens, porch boxes and cutting. The flowers are borne in large trusses from midsummer until late fall. Thrive in any well-drained soil, and withstand drought. We offer several distinct types; all are lovely and fill certain needs.

#### GIANT VERBENAS

Robust plants, 8 to 12 in. high, 2½ ft. and more across, Large trusses of individual blooms over 1 in. in diameter.

3487 Apple Biossom Almost white shading to cameo-pink. 3501 Floradale Beauty All-America Silver Medal Winner.

Varies from bright rose-pink to the very deepest rose-red. 3536 Lavender Glory All-America Silver Medal Winner. Exquisite lavender set off by contrasty creamy white eye.

3497 Royale Deep blue with contrasting yellow eye.

3558 Salmon Pink True salmon-pink-nice with white. 3511 Spectrum Red All-America Medal Winner. Vivid red.

3528 White Combines well with any of the other colors. 4345 Finest Mixed All the above colors in mixture.

> Any of the above Giant Flowered Verbenas: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

#### TALL ERECT VERBENA

3514 Royal Bouquet Mixed Colors Many bright and cheerful colors. Flowers are large. While the plants are of neat, compact habit, they are of rather erect growth, 18 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

#### **DWARF COMPACT VERBENAS**

A lovely type for edging, bedding and pot culture. Instead of the plants being of spreading habit, these are of compact, dense growth and covered with beautiful blooms all through the summer until late fall. About 6 in. high, 10 to 12 in. across.

3507 Carmine Ball Bright carmine color. Most attractive.

3508 Creamy White A distinct white that combines well. 3525 Fireball Brilliant scarlet. Striking in garden or cut.

Any of the above Dwarf Compact Verbenas: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

# Burpee's Special Flower Seed Blends for Special Purposes **Annuals for Cutting**

4013 Mixed A choice assortment of long-

stemmed flowers in many colors selected for cutting; well suited for beds and borders.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

# Annuals for Bedding

3012 Mixed Showy, free-blooming dwarf annuals chosen for beds, borders or cutting. All popular varieties that are easily grown Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 65¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.00

#### All-America Flowers

3104 Included in this mixture are Gold, Silver and Bronze Medal Winners of the All-America Selections to add interest to any garden or flower arrangement. Pkt. 35¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

#### VISCARIA — Rainbow Drops

3521 Blue Gem, Tom Thumb Free-blooming plants, 8 in. tall, bearing many single, light ultramarine blue flowers 1 to 1½ in. across throughout the summer. In hot sections, start seed indoors. Nice as a cut flower in short stemmed arrangements.
Pkt. 25¢; 1/3 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.40

3001 Finest Mixture This Special Mixture is an attractive assortment of Burpee's recent flower introductions-Giant Fluffy Marigolds, Giant Hybrid Zinnias, Tip Top Snapdragons, Steeplechase Larkspur, Bur-

peeanna Asters and other newer varieties.

Pkt. 35¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1,50

#### WALLFLOWER

3559 Double, Mixed Colors Lovely sweet-scented flowers in oriental colorings of red, brown, mahogany and yellow, that add interest to flower arrangements. Plants grow to a height of from 11/2 to 2 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.40

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3521 Viscaria, Blue Gem Pkt. 25é



Wallflow 3559 Double, Mixed Colors Pht. 256



#### MAGIC CARPET® of Flowers

3242 Special mixture of the best dwarf growing, easy to grow annuals which, when in bloom, give the appearance of a beautifully colored carpet. Included in this assortment are Carpet of Snow sweet alyssum, lobelia, petunia, tagetes, verbena and others. Sure to make a grand showing from early summer until frost in low beds, edgings, borders and in rock gardens.

Pkt. 35g; 1/2 oz. \$1.00

#### Luther Burbank's **Favorite Flowers**

3093 Special Mixture Large shaggy-petaled asters, marvelous snapdragons, cal-liopsis, celosia, centaurea, cynoglossum, gypsophila, helichrysum, larkspur, nico-tiana, poppies, rudbeckia, salpiglossis, miniature zinnias and others. A rare and de-lightful blend of flowers on which Luther Burbank started hybridizing years ago.

Pkt. 35¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

#### Window Box Garden

3534 Special mixture of flowers especially suited for outdoor summer porch and win-dow boxes including violet and white alyssum, dianthus, linaria, signet marigolds, petunia, miniature zinnias and others. Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

#### Wild Flower Garden

4299 Mixed This is not a mixture of wild flowers but a selection of easy-to-grow an-nual flowers which will give a natural or wild effect in the garden, odd corners and wild effect in the garden, odd corners and vacant borders, with little attention. A good way to add color to your grounds and to obtain extra cut flowers for arrangements. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

# Giant Dahlia Flowered ZINNIAS

Dahlia flowered zinnias are outstanding both for the exquisite form of their long-stemmed flowers, which resemble giant dahlias, and for the lovely shades included in their range of color. They grow about 5 in. across and 2 in. and more in depth. The well-branched sturdy plants grow 3 ft. high and bloom most profusely over a long period. Showy in the garden; wonderful for cutting as flowers have remarkable keeping qualities. Giant Dahlia Flowered Zinnias are an old favorite for beds and wide borders.

**4295 Canary Bird** A most pleasing shade of primrose-yellow which combines well with the deep lavender shade of Dream or Royal Purple.

3555 **Dream** An unusual tone of deep lavender turning to mallow-purple as the flowers age. A rather rare shade in zinnias which is ideal for both accent and interest in the garden.

4316 Exquisite Light rose with deeper rose center, creating a most pleasing two-toned color effect which is lovely for cutting.

3531 **Illumination** Enormous flowers of deep tyrian rose—a real beauty, whether seen in the garden or as cut flowers.

**4337 Oriole** Attractive two-toned flowers—golden orange outer petals in contrast to a reddish orange center. Pretty blending.

3563 **Pastel Shades** The most lovely pinks, yellows and lavenders, in addition to white, are blended in the right quantity of each to give a colorful display for garden and cutting. All dark colors have been omitted; only the most pleasing light shades are included.

**4321 Polar Bear** Best of all white zinnias; flowers are borne on long stems. Nice alone and exceptionally good mixed with others.

4311 Royal Purple Distinct color in this class—a deep, rich royal purple without any hint of blue. All-America Winner.

**4328 Salmon King** Strikingly beautiful, large and rounded flowers of a lovely salmon-rose. Its excellent color, strong stems, and profuse blooms are most desirable for garden and cutting.

4332 Will Rogers Loveliest and most brilliant scarlet-red which glistens in the sun with dazzling beauty. This vibrant color is perfect for bold accent. Flowers grow larger than other dahlia flowered zinnias, fully double and are borne profusely on long, strong stems. Makes a grand showing in the garden; wonderful for exhibition and of great appeal in flower arrangements.

Any of the above Giant Dahlia Flowered Zinnias: Pkt, 20¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.10; 1/2 oz. \$2.00



4327 Burpee's Best Mixed Immense flowers in a specially prepared mixture of the best colors to be had in giant dahlia flowered zinnias. In this extra choice blend are self or solid colors, as well as impressive bicolors and two-tone blooms. Sure to attract attention in the garden or when used as cut flowers.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

4324 All Colors Mixed Well-balanced mixture of every color known in giant dahlia flowered zinnias that have been blended for a glorious garden display; for cutting you will have quantities of long-stemmed giant flowers, the petals of which are slightly cupped and overlay one another in regular manner. Good for all purposes.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ 0z. 60¢; ¼ 0z. \$1.10; ½ 0z. \$2.00

4307 Crown of Gold Mixed The large flowers come in a most singular color range—burnished red, yellow, old rose, cream and carmine; each petal overlaid deep golden yellow at the base while carrying out the individual flower color over the balance of the petal surface. Superb for garden and highly prized for cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ 02. 75¢; ½ 0z. \$1.35

# Five Giant Dahlia Flowered Zinnias

Canary Bird, Exquisite, Polar Bear, Salmon King and Will Rogers

4754 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these five varieties, value \$1.00 for only

# Lilliput, Baby or Pompon Zinnias

The small, pompon-like flowers of lilliput zinnias are most appealing. Plants are dwarf, busby and branching, 12 to 18 in. tall, and literally covered with double blooms, 1 to 1% in. across from early summer until frost. Especially nice as edgings to taller zinnias or other plants.

## Six Lilliput Zinnias

Golden Gem, Lilac Gem, Rose Gem, Scarlet Gem, White Gem and Canary Yellow

4757-SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these six separate varieties, value 90¢ for only 75¢

3545 Black Ruby All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Blackish maroon. 2 ft.

3548 Golden Gem Golden orange.

3522 Lilac Gem Distinct lavender-lilac.

3541 Peach Blossom Soft light pink.

4308 Rose Gem Deep clear rose-pink.

3544 Scarlet Gem Bright fiery scarlet. 3543 White Gem Lovely pure white.

3542 Canary Yellow Clear yellow.

4303 Mixed Colors Well-balanced blend of all colors from white to darkest maroon. The little double flowers are very showy in the garden and equally so when used for cutting.

Any of the above Lilliput Zinnias: Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 95¢





**Burpee's Giant Hybrid Zinnias** 

> The loveliest flowers ever created. They include first and second generation hybrids, grow 5 in. and more across, with a pleasing variation in petal formation, many being of the informal ruffled type, some attractively curled, others gracefully quilled. The loosely arranged petals give the flowers an airy appearance, free of the stiffness of some other zinnia types.

> Plants are strong, free blooming, 21/2 to 3 ft. tall except Fireburst which grows about 22 in. tall. All are ideal for garden decoration and cutting.

4075 Apricot Flowers are finely quilled like some chrysanthemums, double, sym-metrical and of an attractive shade of coral suffused apricot so much wanted for cutting.

4334 Blaze All-America Winner. Bursts into bloom with a profusion of brilliant mandarin-red flowers which change to a fiery orange-scarlet.

4375 Burpee Gold Saffron or deep golden yellow flowers have slightly curled petals which give a fluffy, informal appearance that is so popular.

3166 Catherine L. O'Brien (TWITTEN Fluffy golden yellow blooms appear like ruffled gold. A popular shade for cutting and garden display. 4331 **Eskimo** Flowers are loosely ruffled, open creamy white and change to white as they mature.

4333 New Floradale Scarlet Vibrant scarletred flowers, made up of many ruffled and fluffed petals. Perfect for bold accent; prized for cutting.

4301 Glamour Girls Delightful mixture of lighter shades. Included are buffy apricot, chamois, orange suffused rose, salmon-pinks, soft rose shades, creamy yellows, salmon-cerise, cream, white and other soft, pastel shades and colors.

4352 Kismet A color entirely new to any type of zinnias, a gorgeous, radiant, Persian red. Flowers are most attractive, and have the relaxing, informally quilled petals typical of many Burpee Hybrids.

4325 Riverside Beauty Warm, luminous azaleapink flowers of an airy, informal appearance, the petals twisted and curled. Lovely outside or cut.

4351 Rosalind Distinctive bicolor. The large, exquisite flowers are bright rose pink shading to salmon-rose in the centers. Fluffy flower heads.

**4305 Sunny Boy** Rich buttercup-yellow flowers made up of many delightfully ruffled petals alive with color and brilliancy. Wonderful for cutting.

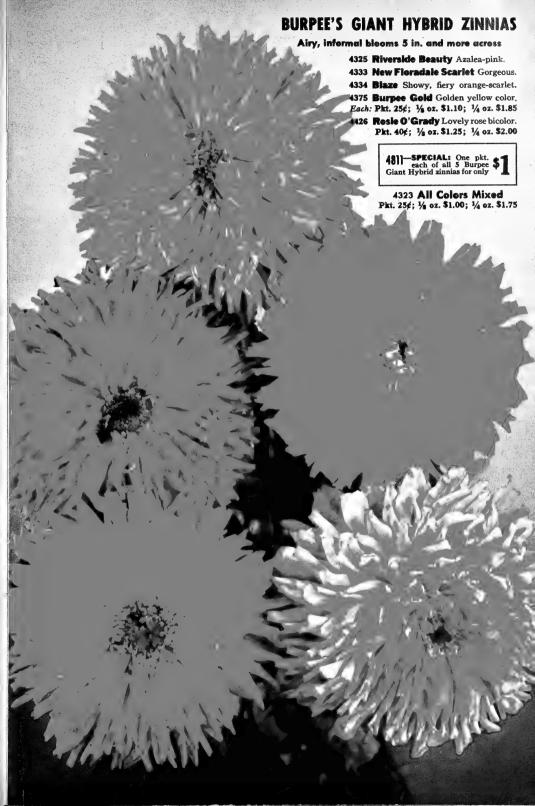
Any of the above Burpee Giant Hybrid Zinnias: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.10; 1/4 oz. \$1.85; 1/2 oz. \$3.50

3103 Fireburst Immense blooms, of a gay vibrant shade of reddish orange, with graceful, loosely ruffled and quilled petals which seem to catch and reflect every beam of light. Long stems. Pkt. 50¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.35; 1/4 oz. \$2.25

4426 Rosie O'Grady Distinctive bicolor with a deep rose center that shades toward the outer petals to a soft rose. Curled and twisted petals. Pkt. 40¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.00

4323 All Colors Mixed New and better blend -many colors and showy color combinations never before seen in these or any other zinnias. Many flowers with cream or yellow centers that give an unusual and effective two-tone effect. Shading of color on individual petals also gives interesting tints not usually seen in zinnias. Burpee Hybrids are one of the most popular of all cut flowers.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 1.00; ½ oz. \$1.75; oz. \$6.00





3523 Giants of California Zinnia, Enchantress Pht. 256

#### Five Giants of California Zinnias

Enchantress, Golden Queen, Lavender Gem, Purity and Scarlet King

4701 — SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 5 separate varieties, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.25 for only

Giants of California **Zinnias** 

> Immense double flowers, 5 to 6 in. across, of a distinctive shape that is most graceful and desirable, The overlapping petals are more loosely placed than in the dahlia flowered type of zinnia, and the flowers themselves are more flattened, being only about 1 in. in depth. Plants are vigorous, well-branched, grow about 3 ft. tall and produce many long, strong flower stems each crowned with a beautiful flower.

> 3524 Daffodil Distinct shade of bright canary or daffodil-yellow that is extremely popular for cutting.

3523 Enchantress Light rose with dark rose center. A truly enchanting two-toned color combination,

3556 Golden Queen or Lemon Queen lemon-yellow with a distinct golden yellow suffusion.

3502 Lavender Gem Deep lavender, turning to a warm purple as the flower matures. A rare shade.

3533 Purity Outstanding for its pure white color.

3552 Rose Queen Clear rose-pink of great beauty. Popular shade for garden decoration and cut flowers.

3554 Salmon Queen Salmon-rose flowers of a most delightful color for cutting and garden.

3553 Scarlet King Glowing scarlet; much desired.

3547 Violet Queen Wonderful, distinct shade.

4319 Pastel Shades Mixed Prepared from the most beautiful shades of pink, yellow, and lavender, with sufficient white to effect a perfect color harmony.

4312 All Colors Mixed This mixture has been most carefully blended from above named varieties to insure a well-balanced display for garden and cutting.

Any of the above Giants of California Zinnias: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

Luther Burbank® Zinnias

4313 Luther Burbank Zinnias are a rare blend of lovely, delicate pastel or art shades comprised of many self colors ranging from cream and primrose through delicate buffyellow, canary yellow, ivory, soft salmon, warm rose, chamois, apricot, peach, blush pink, salmon-pink to clear, bright rose. There are also unusual two- and three-color combinations of soft and light shades in some of the individual blooms. When an occasional pale lavender or light orange appears, it is always a tone that blends well with the others.

Flowers are deep, 5 to 5½ in. across, larger than dahlia flowered and are composed of numerous big, flat petals curled under at the ends. Plants are 3 to 4 ft. tall, well-branched so that an abundance of long-stemmed

giant flowers is assured for cutting. Pkt. 25¢ 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25; 1/2 oz. \$2.25

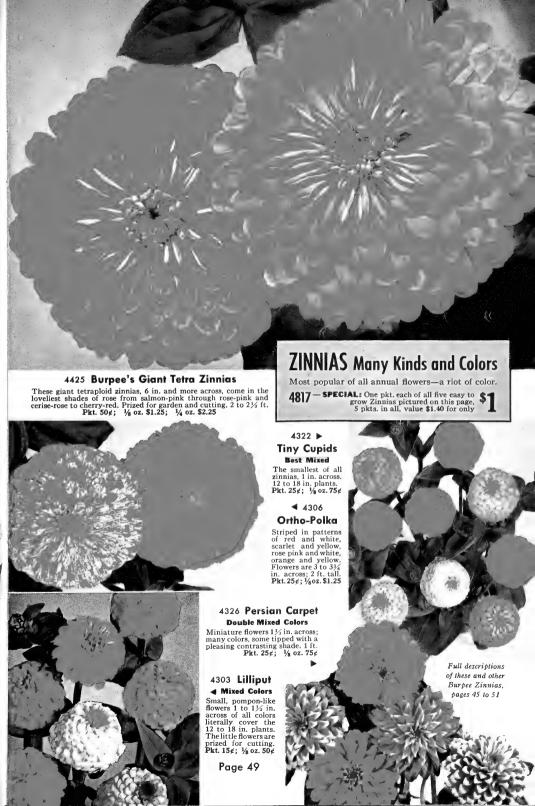
# **Burpee's Super** Giant Zinnias

4314 Burpee's Super Giant Zinnias are truly giant, growing 51/2 to 6 in, across, in a full range of all colors. Rare and unusual shades of cream, buff, apricot, salmon, rose and orange predominate, with a few yellow, white, scarlet and crimson blooms. One is impressed by the many two-tone and three-tone color effects seen in some of the flowers. Diversity of petal and flower form, together with a most amazing assortment of solid colors and makes Burpee's Super Giants a most delightful blend of zinnias for garden, Pkt. 25¢ together with a most amazing assortment of solid colors and color combinations,

1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25; 1/2 oz. \$2.25



4314





# Cut and Come Again Zinnias

Fully double, well-rounded flowers, about 21/2 in. across, are freely produced on long stems; ideal for cutting, especially where the largest blooms are not wanted. The compact, branching plants, which in an average soil grow 11/2 ft. tall, keep on blooming from early midsummer until frost, making an attractive display in beds or borders,

3515 Crimson Beauty Bright and cheerful crimson.

4338 Pink Beauty Charming shade of pink. 3565 Bright Scarlet

Vivid and intense scarlet. 4329 Salmon Rose

4339 White A nice all-purpose white.

3562 Canary Yellow Beautiful form and color.

Lovely shade for cutting. 3561 Tangerine Entirely new color-bright, lively orange with reddish orange tinge creating a vivacious, fiery orange effect. A shade which blends well with other colors,

4298 Mixed Colors The above and others in a wide range of attractive colors.

Any of the above Cut and Come Again Zinnias: Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

4284 Special Mixture Choice blend of Pink Beauty, Salmon Rose, Bright Scarlet, Tangerine, White and Canary Yellow. All the dark shades have been omitted from it.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25



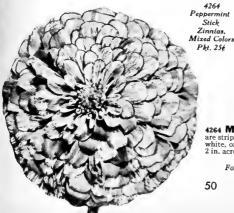
3535 Cupid Zinnia, Tiny Tim Pkt. 256

# Little Cupid Zinnias

Compact plants, 1 ft. tall, produce a large number of slender branches, each bearing a small double flower which hardly exceeds 1 in. in diameter. For borders and cutting. 3551 Goblin Bronzy orange. 3535 Tiny Tim Scarlet. 3532 Snowdrop Pure white. 3546 Pixie Clear yellow. 4322 Burpee's Best Mixed Carefully blended mixture of the above four most popular varieties and others Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

# Four Delightful Cupid Zinnias

4758 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above four named cupid zinnias, 4 pkts. in all, value \$1.00 for only 85¢



## Six Cut and Come Again Zinnias

Pink Beauty, Salmon Rose, Bright Scarlet, Tangerine, White and Canary Yellow

4703 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these six separate and beautiful colors of medium-size zin-nias, 6 pkts. in all, value 90¢ for only 75¢

#### Burpee's Best Dwarf Zinnias

3564 Special Mixture Ideal for edgings and low borders where the larger flowered zinnias are too tall. Valuable for cutting especially where medium to small sized blooms are preferred. Included are the tiny cupids, little pompons, miniatures, medium sized cut and come agains, and others for a grand showing. 1 to  $1\frac{1}{12}$  ft. Pkt.  $25\frac{1}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{3}$  0z.  $75\frac{1}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{3}$  0z. 31.25Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢;



4335 Mexican Zinnia Pkt. 25¢

#### Mexican or Miniature Zinnias

4335 Double Mixed, All Colors Most charming double and semi-double blooms in a remarkable range of color blends and combinations. Rich in shades of yellow, orange, red, maroon, mahogany, some bordered and tipped creamy white or gold. Small, colorful blooms 1 to 1½ in. across, are produced freely throughout the season. 25¢

1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

# Navajo Zinnias

4336 Mixed Colors All-America Winner. Flowers are of medium size, double or semi-double, and composed of long, narrow petals, each heavily tipped white, creamy white or creamy yellow. Colors run through lilac, crim-son, orange, yellow, pink and other pastel shades. The bicolored blooms remind one of the colorings to be seen and interesting display in the garden or when cut. Grow 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

3537 Zinnia Linearis Plants grow 1 ft. high and are covered with grow 1 ft. high and are covered with deep orange-yellow single flowers, 1½ in. across, each petal having a narrow light yellow stripe down the center. Well-branched plants with narrow, pointed leaves. Early bloomer. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. 85.50



4336 Navajo Zinnias Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢

# Peppermint Stick Zinnias

4264 Mixed Colors Something different in zinnias—the majority of the flowers are striped in various combinations, such as red and white, red and yellow, purple and white, orange and yellow, etc. Blooms, some of which are mottled, grow from 1½ to 2 in. across. The plants which are 2 ft. tall are simply covered with flowers.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

For a larger flowered "Peppermint Stick" zinnia, see Ortho-Polka, page 49.

# 3133 Burpee's New Trail Blazer Zinnia

#### The first and only F, Hybrid Zinnia

Brilliant red, medium-large double and semi-double flowers are borne freely on strong bushy plants 2 ft. tall. Excellent for both garden and cut flower use. Most of the flowers are semi-double and show a bright yellow center in pleasing contrast to the bright petals,

The main value of Trail Blazer, however, is that it is highly **resistant to mildew**, a disease which often affects the foliage of other Zinnias.

While we expect to have better first-generation hybrid Zinnias within a few years, we know that this year many of our customers will want to grow Trail Blazer, the only one available as yet. The seed, being hybrid, is very expensive to produce, but we are charging only 50¢ a packet for Trail Blazer. Pkt. (50 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 90¢; ½ 0z. \$2.00; ½ 0z. \$3.50

# POPULAR ZINNIA MIXTURES OF MANY SHOWY TYPES AND COLORS

3232 Burpee's All-Giant Zinnias Balanced blend of very best colors of Burpee Giant Hybrids, Luther Burbank and Burpee's Super Giant Zinnias. All showy giants for garden and cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/3 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

4304 Burpee's Gigantic Zinnias Colossal and Chrysanthemum Flowered—the best colors in these two extra large types.

Pkt. 50¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

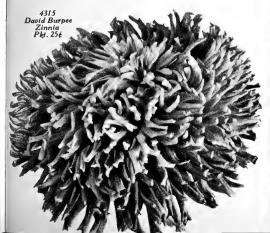
4317 Fantasy Mixed Colors All-America Silver Medal Winner. Shaggy double, miniature cactus dahlia-like flowers, 3 to 3½ in. across, composed of a mass of twisted, tubular petals in an unusual range of pretty colors. Very profuse blooming. Grow 2 ft. tall.

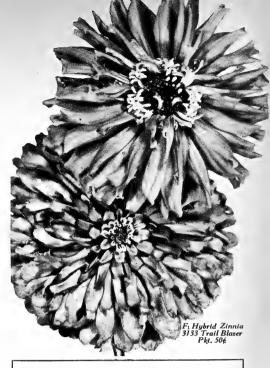
Pkt. 25¢; ½ 0z. 75¢; ¼ 0z. \$1.25

4424 New Century Mixed Flowers are large, up to 6 in. across, somewhat like the Dahlia Flowered in appearance, but more loosely arranged and quite artistic. Colors include orange, salmon, yellow and shades of rose. Very robust plants bloom freely. Showy in the garden; lovely for cutting. The plants are 2½ ft. tall. Pkt. (50 seeds) 25½; ½ oz. \$1.00

4302 **Zinnias on Parade**® Large, showy flowers of different shapes and sizes in a wide range of lovely self colors and unusual color combinations for a grand display in home gardens with plenty of long-stemmed, long-lasting flowers for cutting. Pkt. 25¢ 1/4 oz. \$1.25

4315 David Burpee Zinnias Strikingly different; medium large, with petals attractively curled and quilled backwards so that only the colorful upper side is exposed. Another outstanding feature is the unusual range of colors; pastel shades predominate, lovely tones of apricot, soft cream, chamois, buff, terra-cotta, burnt orange, soft rose, and peach. Some flowers are of solid colors while others are combinations of two and three colors. Most desirable for garden and unsurpassed for cutting. Leaves of some are curled and twisted—such plants often produce the curliest blooms. 3 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25





#### **BURPEE'S ZINNIA GARDEN**

7 pkts., 4 different types; 1 pkt. each of:

Burpee's Giant Hybrids, All Colors Mixed Giant Dahlia Flowered, Canary Bird (yellow), Exquisite (rose), Polar Bear (white) and

Will Rogers (scarlet)

Persian Carpet, Miniature, Mixed Colors

Little Cupid, Burpee's Best Mixed

4751—SPECIAL: One pikt. each of the above seven zinnias, value \$1.55 for only

A gorgeous array of color in varied flower types may be had both in the garden and for cutting with Burpee's Zinnia Garden





African Violet 3577 Blue Fairy Tale Pkt. \$1.00



3067 Asparagus Fern, Sprengeri Pkt. 35¢



3077 Begonia, Double Mixed Pki. \$1.00

# House Plants from Seed

Potted plants are always attractive in the home. They are lovely on the porch or in window boxes during the summer, and particularly desirable indoors during the winter months. All seeds offered here are easily grown into plants in a living room window, greenhouse or conservatory, where light and heat conditions are satisfactory. Seeds may be sown any time of the year in seed-pans or shallow boxes. Full directions for planting are given on every seed packet.

There are also many bulbs and roots which are suited for growing in pots. These include Gloriosa Lilies, Fancy Leaved Caladiums, Callas, Oxalis, Ranunculus, Amaryllis, Tuberous-Rooted Begonias, Anemone and Gloxinias. You will find these listed beginning on page 112.

#### AFRICAN VIOLET—Saintpaulia

Of all the plants that are grown by the amateur for house decoration, the most popular is the African Violet. If grows with a minimum of care, in full light but not strong sunight; African Violets do well in windows on the east and north. The best plants are usually grown at 70 to 72 degrees in an atmosphere that is not too dry. Watering the plants is best done from below, preferably in the morning. Always use water of room temperature.

3577 Blue Fairy Tale A new first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid that has won a gold and two silver medals. The flowers are large, rich ultramarine-blue in striking contrast to the bright yellow stamens. Under good conditions, plants start to flower in 6 months from seed and in 10 or 12 months should bear many more blooms. Leaves are dark green.

Pkt. \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.90; 3 pkts. \$2.70

3578 lonantha grandifiora Large flowers of deep violet-blue cover the plants when they are fully grown. This is a most popular variety known as the Usambra violet.

Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.40; 3 pkts. \$1.95

### ASPARAGUS—Asparagus Fern

Useful as a pot plant the year 'round and for cutting to mix as "greens" among flowers. Plants are hardy where winters are mild. Grows freely with minimum care.

3035 Piumosus nanus Finely divided, rich deep green, lace-like foliage. Upright grower. Good lasting quality when cut.

3067 Sprengeri (Emerald Feather) Magnificent trailing ornamental plants with needle-like leaves on long branches; fine for hanging baskets, window boxes, vases, pot plants, etc. It bears small rose flowers.

Either variety of Asparagus: Pkt. 35¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.40

#### BEGONIAS

#### TUBEROUS ROOTED

Unrivaled summer bedding plants; charming pot plants for many months of the year. Blooms 4 in, or more across in a wide range of colors—pink, rose, salmon, orange, crimson, and yellow; also white. Some with attractive contrasting edge. Prefer a semi-shaded location if planted outdoors, 1 ft.

3069 Single, Mixed Colors Magnificent strain; seed from the largest single flowers of the best colors and color combinations.

Pkt. 75¢; 1/123 oz. \$3.00

3077 Double, Mixed Colors Wonderful assortment of extremely rich colors; large double flowers of the greatest beauty. Pkt. \$1.00; 1/128 oz. \$4.00

Begonia bulbs, page 118.

#### CALCEOLARIA—Pouch Flower

3062 Mixed Colors Attractive, pact, free-blooming house plants with peculiar pouch-like flowers of various colors. Many are attractively tigered, blotched. spotted and laced in most unique patterns. Likes a semi-shaded location in a cool room. Plants grow to a height of 11/2 ft. Pkt. \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.85; 1/64 oz. \$3.50

#### CINERARIA

Splendid plants for winter and spring house decoration. Wide clusters of brilliantly colored blossoms rich in shades of blue, carmine, pink, white, etc.; many combinations, Do best in a cool room and partial shade,

3107 Giant Exhibition Mixed Beautiful 3107 Gight Exhibition Mixed Beautiful self-colors, and many with contrasting pure white centers or clearly defined margins and rings of various shades. Flowers are very large, 3½ in. across. 16 in. tall. Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.25; ½28 oz. \$2.50

3108 Large Flowered Dwarf Mixed Large blooms in many colors on compact, showy plants that grow about 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.35

#### CYCLAMEN

4342 Indicum Giant Mixed Large, fragrant blooms on strong, erect stems well above the ornamental foliage. It takes 16 to 18 months to produce blooming plants from seed. They make most attractive pot plants for the home if grown under cool conditions,

Pkt. (10 seeds) 50¢; 100 seeds \$3.25

3107 Cineraria, Giant Exhibition Pkt. 75¢





4342 Cyclamen, Giant Mixed Pkt. 506



# House Plants from Seed, continued GLOXINIA, GIANT FLOWERED

4388 Buell's Glant Hybrids Mixed An exceptionally free-flowering, long-blooming strain that provides all the colors found in gloxinias in more than 50 distinctly different, beautiful color combinations and dramatic effects never before available in this lovely house plant. Symmetrical, well shaped plants with velvety, heavily veined leaves that enhance the striking color of many erect bell-like blooms. Buell's strain, the result of years of hybridization, is the very finest yet offered. Succeeds in semi-shade. Plants grow 1 ft, tall.

Originator's packet (200 seeds) \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.95

3154 Giant Flowered Mixed Inverted bell-shaped flowers in white, blue, rose, purple, and red shades, many self-colored, others spotted or mottled. Grows 10 to 12 in. tall.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½ 22scs. \$2.25

Gloxinia Bulbs, page 119.

#### CACTUS FROM SEED

3063 Mixed Varieties Choice assortment of the most attractive, easily and quickly grown cacti. Make interesting potplants. Require little care or attention once the seeds have germinated; some are slow. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 90¢; ½ oz. \$2.25

#### GERANIUM

4343 Floradale Fancy Mixed Enormous flower heads in many colors including white, shades of pink, rose, salmon and scarlet to deep crimson in mixture. Very easily grown from seed. Make excellent house plants as they can be had in bloom almost all the year 'round. Grow 18 in. and more tall.

Pkt. 50¢; 3/2 oz. \$1.25; 3/16 oz. \$2.25

#### GERBERA — Transvaal Daisv

3163 Jamesoni Hybrids Large, attractive, daisy-like blooms in a wide range of shades of yellow, orange, white, scarlet, crimson, pink, etc. Prized for cutting. May be grown indoors as a winter house plant; outdoors during the summer. Hardy in frost-free locations. Grow 1 to 2 ft. tall. Pkt. (25 seeds) 50¢; Pkt. (100 seeds) \$1.50

#### IMPATIENS—Sultan's Balsam

4107 Holsti Hybrids Wide range of exquisite colors in mixture. Blooms all the year 'round in pots or may be grown outdoors in semi-shade during the summer where it flowers continuously from midsummer until frost. Grow 1 to 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; ½2 oz. \$1.50; ½6 oz. \$2.50

#### SMILAX

3411 Attractive, fast-growing vine with dark green, glossy, myrtle-like leaves. Very decorative and easy to grow house plant.

Pkt. 35¢; ¼ oz. \$1.35

#### LANTANA

4112 Dwarf Hybrids, Finest Mixed Heads of verbena-like flowers in shades of yellow, orange, red and pink from midsummer until frost. May be grown in pots the year 'round or outdoors in the garden during the summer. Average height, 1½ ft. Pkt. 30¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.75

Useful, easily grown plants covered with flowers throughout the season. The trailing varieties listed below may be used for flower boxes, hanging baskets and pots. Do well in partial shade either indoors or out.

3196 Hamburgia (Trailing) Graceful long branches covered with lovely sky-blue flowers with a white eye. Most exquisite.

3208 Sapphire (Trailing) Large, deep blue flowers with a showy pure white eye. Either variety of Lobelia:

Pkt. 35¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.85

#### PRIMULA—Primrose

Particularly desirable as potted plants for the home. Easily grown where light and heat conditions are satisfactory. 10 in. tall.

#### Sinensis fimbriata

3283 Finest Mixed Clusters of large, beautifully colored, fringed flowers in lovel contrast to the deep green leaves of the plants. Mixture includes blue, white, red, rose, crimson, etc. Popular house plants. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35

#### Obconica gigantea

3276 Choicest Mixed Individual flowers are extra large, of fine form and texture. and freely borne in immense clusters for a long time on strong stems. It embraces a wide range of colors, Shades not seen in usual mixtures will be found in this assortis an inktures will be found in time assort-ment—pink, red, salmon, white, etc. This is an excellent pot flower for fall, winter and spring blooming inside the house. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35

#### Obconica grandiflora

3277 Mixed Colors All the most desirable colors in mixture. Flowers not so large as those of the gigantea type, but usually produced more profusely and for a longer period. Showy plant for indoor culture.

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; 3 pkts. \$1.00

Average heights and blooming season are given in descriptions. The time is average; therefore some variation is to be expected.

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Primula obconica gigantea 3276 Choicest Mixed Pkt. 50¢







Gloxinia 4388 Buell's Giant Hubrids. Pkt. \$1.00

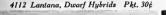


Geranium 4343 Floradale Fancy Mixed Pkt. 506



3163 Gerbera, Jamesoni Hybrids Pkt. 50¢

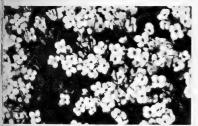






# BURPEE PERENNIAL FLOWER SEEDS

Perennial flowers are the hardy, permanent ones that live for years. Plants grow to the flowering stage each year and die down again to the roots, which remain alive but dormant until the next season. Some perennials will flower the first year from seed if it is sown early, although two seasons are usually required. Seeds sown early make stronger plants to go through the winter and give more bloom the next season. Cultural directions are on every bag. We have included also the best of the biennials, seed of which is sown one year, the plants blooming the second season, after which they die.



3752 Arabis alpina Pkt. 25¢

3775 Aster subcoeruleus Pkt. 35¢

# ACHILLEA - Milfoil

4602 The Pearl Hundreds of clusters of small, double white pompon chrysanthemum-like flowers, from June to September. Nice in borders and fine for cutting. 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85

#### ALYSSUM — Gold Dust

Charming, attractive dwarf early blooming plants for rock gardens and borders that do very well in dry or sandy soil.

3754 Argenteum Stocky, bushy plants, 15 in. tall, with bright yellow flowers borne in clusters all through the summer months. Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85

4605 Saxatile compactum (Basket of Dense heads of brilliant golden yellow flowers are borne so profusely in early spring as to hide the plants. 9 to 12 in. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

3763 Rare Species Mixed Choice assortment of dwarf growing varieties rang-ing from 6 to 16 in, in height. In bloom r a long period during the early spring. Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.00



3833 Italica Dropmore Large blue forget-June and July. Plants grow 4 to 5 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

#### ANEMONE - Windflower

3795 Coronaria, St. Brigid Extra choice mixture of double and semi-double blooms in a wonderful array of rich and brilliant colors. Bloom during May and June. Equally fine for pot culture, borders, rock garden washington, D. C. Plants grow 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.00

#### ANTHEMIS—Golden Daisy

3753 Kelwayi Yellow Pure golden yellow daisy-like flowers are freely produced on long stems from July until frost. Flowers have a slight aromatic odor. A nice cutting flower succeeding in dry or sandy soil. 2 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

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#### ARABIS - Rock Cress

Showy dwarf, spreading border and rock garden plants, 8 to 12 in. tall. Succeed in any good, well-drained soil and a sunny location. A mass of bloom in early spring. Flowers last quite some time when cut.

3752 Alpina Pure white flowers are produced in great profusion during April.
Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85

3755 Alpina rosea Masses of light pink flowers are freely borne in May. Exquisite. Pkt. 35¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25; 1/4 oz. \$2.25

#### ARMERIA—Sea Pink

Attractive plants of dwarf, tufted growth above which rise many stiff, wiry stems topped with a dense, globe-shaped flower. Useful in rock garden, edgings and border; fine for cutting. May and June. Do best in a dry, sandy soil and a sunny position.

3805 Formosa Hybrids Large flowers in a charming mixture which contains deepest to lightest shades of pink, rose, coral and light tones of red. Grow 1½ to 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

3771 Laucheana Bright rosy red flowers are freely produced on plants 6 in. high. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 75¢; ½8 oz. \$1.40

3776 Sutton's Giant Pink Clear rosepink flowers, 2 in. across, are freely borne on straight, strong stems, 1 to 1½ ft. long above the low-growing, mat-like plants.

Pkt. 35¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.00; ⅓ oz. \$1.75

#### HARDY ASTERS

Alpinus and Subcoeruleus are especially valuable for rock gardens or borders; both are easily grown and make a grand show. Subcoeruleus is valuable for cutting.

3772 Alpinus Mixed Colors Large, single flowers in white and shades of blue; golden centers. May and June. 6 to 10 in.
Pkt. 25¢; ½/16 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

3775 Subcoeruleus Bluish violet, orange-yellow centered, daisy-like flowers, 3 in. across, during June and July. 15 in. tall. Pkt. 35¢; ¼n oz. \$1.25; ¾n oz. \$2.25











3776 Armeria

Alyssum

# HARDY GARDEN CARNATIONS

Who does not love the delightful, spicy fragrance of carnations? They are ideal for cutting and excellent for beds, borders, wide edgings, rock gardens or pots. All do best in well-drained soil, rich in lime, and a sunny exposure. If seed is sown early, many plants will bloom the same season. It is advisable to cut off all flowering stalks soon after blooming to prevent plants from becoming straggly. Plants, especially Chabaud's Giant Improved and Burpee's Super Giants, may be lifted in the fall, cut back and potted up for indoor winter flowering where light and heat conditions are satisfactory for their culture.

#### Chabaud's Giant

Clove-scented, deeply fringed, large, double Clove-scented, deeply iringed, large, double blooms, 2 in, and more across, may be had in 5 or 6 months from the time the seed is sown. Flowers are borne on sturdy stems 15 to 18 in, long. Vigorous, 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

3808 Crimson Rich, velvety crimson,

3807 Flesh Pink Soft, light shell-pink. 3819 Salmon Pink Exquisite pink shade.

3798 Cardinal Red Intense lively color.

3799 Deep Rose Delightful warm rose. 3797 White Pure glistening white.

3806 Deep Yellow Showy and distinct.

4614 All Colors Mixed A colorful blend of all the above and some variegated ones. Any of the above Chabaud's Giants: Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.10

Giant Enfant de Nice

3812 Mixed Colors A very select French

hybrid strain producing strong plants of erect habit, with large, full double, sweet-scented, fringed flowers, 2½ in. and more across, Included are red, rose, salmon, white and other extra choice colors in this grand mixture. Best treated as a biennial. Grow 18 in tall.

Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85

3824 Large Double, All Colors Mixed Large double flowers, 1½ to 2½ in. across, in a wide assortment of many pretty colors. Have a pronounced spicy fragrance. Plants are very hardy and grow 1½ ft. in height. Pkt. 25¢; ½s oz. 85¢; ½s oz. 85.60

3751 Hardy Border Double, Mixed Showy double flowers in many self, striped and fancy colors. Makes a fine showing in perennial borders, edgings or beds over a long period. Prized for cutting. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 85¢; ½6 oz. 81.60

3785 Early Dwarf Vienna, Mixed Very double blooms in a full range of colors are freely borne on stiff upright stems very early in the season. Dwarf plants, I ft. tall. Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85

#### Riviera Giants

3803 All Colors Mixed Immense double flowers in a wide range of rich and varied colors as well as unusual color combinations—dainty tones of cream, salmon and tions—dainty tones of cream, salmon and orange-buff; odd smoky tones, lavender, purple, garnet and cherry, as well as many bicolor, striped and speckled forms. The giant blooms are freely produced on stif, erect stems 1⅓ ft. long over a long period.

Pkt. 35¢; ⅓16 oz. \$1.00; ⅓ oz. \$1.85

3814 Carnation, Red Wonder Pkt. 40¢

#### **Burpee's Super Giants**

Huge, fully double, heavily fringed flowers, 3 in. across, are produced most freely on sturdy, upright stems 18 to 20 in. long. Best treated as a biennial outdoors.

3814 Red Wonder..... 3802 Scarlet Wonder... 3801 White Wonder... 3809 Yellow Wonder... 4623 Mixed Colors...

Any of these separate colors or mixture: Pkt. 40¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

4785 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above four separate colors, 4 pkts. in all, \$1.25

#### **AUBRIETA**—Rainbow Rock Cress

3773 Large Flowering Hybrids One of 3773 Large Flowering hyprids One of the very finest dwarf, spreading plants for borders, rock gardens and dry walls. Masses of rosy purple, blue, and like blooms are produced during April and May. Aubrieta will succeed in semi-shade. Plants 6 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

#### **BELLIS PERENNIS**

Giant Double English Daisy

Splendid dwarf, early-flowering biennials for beds, borders and rock gardens. For the best flowers, sow seed each year and treat as an annual. Prefers moist, well-drained soil and partial shade. Often last for more than two years, and where summers are cool the plants will bloom until fall. 6 in.

3777 Dark Red Rich and colorful.

3789 Dark Rose Most popular shade.

3779 White Nice with the others.

4607 Mixed Colors White and various shades of rose and red in a nice mixture.

Any of the above Bellis perennis: Pkt. 35¢; 1/8 oz. \$2.00; 1/4 oz. \$3.50

**GROW YOUR OWN PERENNIALS** 

It is easy to grow hardy plants from seed and save a lot of money. Why buy the plants—grow your own. We offer a wide assortment of the choicest varieties.

Aubrieta

3773 Large Flowering Hybrids Pkt. 25¢

# CAMPANULA—Canterbury Bells—Bellflowers

#### **Biennial Canterbury Bells**

Most useful, beautiful easily grown subjects for the garden. Plants of biennial varieties bloom the second year from seed, then die. The plants of perennial varieties, listed opposite, last for years with little care; it is advisable to divide them every second year.

#### Single Canterbury Bells

Pyramidal plants, 2 to 3 ft. tall, covered in June with large, bell-like blooms with edges softly rolled back and attractively fluted.

Any of these
separate color
or mixture: Pkt. 25¢;
1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25
1/4 oz. \$1.25

#### Cup-and-Saucer Canterbury Bells

The lovely blooms have an unusual formation that may be likened to a saucer under a cup. Plants bloom in June. 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

3787	Dark Blue	Any of these
3788	Light Blue	separate color
3782	Rose	or mixture:
3786	White	Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢;
4608	Mixed Colors	1/4 oz. \$1.25

#### Double Canterbury Bells

4601 Mixed Colors The plants are covered with double blooms in white, blue and rose, during June. Biennial. 2 to 2½ ft. high.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

#### Perennial Campanula

3784 Carpatica Blue Little, blue, cupshaped flowers, 1 in. across, on 12 in. stems. Nice in rock gardens and edgings. Does well in semi-shade. July to September.

3792 Persicifolia alba (White Peach Bells) Large, handsome, white, bell-shaped flowers, about 1½ in. long, in showy terminal clusters during June and July. Persicifolia means peach-like leaves, hence the common name of Peach Bells. Valuable for border planting and cutting. 2 to 2½ ft.

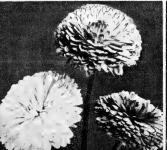
3757 Persicifolia Blue (Blue Peach Bells) An excellent companion to the Persicifolia alba. Similar to it except the flowers are of a handsome bright blue shade. 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft.

4616 Persicifolia Mixed Blue and white "Peach Bells" mixed. Nice for cutting and hardy border decoration. 2 to 2½ ft. high.

Any of the above perennial Campanulas: Pkt. 35¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25; 1/4 oz. \$2.00

Bellis perennis 4607 Mixed Colors Pkt. 356









4604 Columbine, McKana's Giant, All Colors Mixed Pkt. 506

4604 McKana's Giant, All Colors Mixed All-America Bronze Medal Winner. The flowers of this outstanding strain of columbine will average 4 in. across, some larger, with spurs 3 to 4 in. long and widely flared. The extremely large yet graceful blooms come in a wholey hared. The extremely large yet glaceful blooms come in a pleasing color range including blue, pink, maroon, purple, red, deep yellow, primrose-yellow and showy combinations of different colors. Strong, free blooming plants  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 ft. tall. One of the few pennials that can be grown from seed to win an All-America award. Pkt.  $50\varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$ 6 oz. \$1.75;  $\frac{1}{2}$ 6 oz. \$3.25

## COLUMBINE --- Aquilegia

Beautiful spring-blooming plants of graceful, airy habit that are highly prized for the border and cutting. Columbine does well in fairly rich, well-drained soil either in sun or partial shade.

3756 Red Riding Hood Flowers are composed of an old-rose calvx and a pure white double corolla at the base of which the rose coloring shows through most pleasingly. The spurs are so short they are practically hidden. Profuse bloomer. 2 to 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.50; ⅓8 oz. \$2.50

#### Long Spurred Columbines

Large, attractive flowers with broad petals and beautiful long spurs; most popular columbines. 2½ to 3 ft., except where noted.

4603 Burpee's Best Mixture Select assortment of choice colors 4603 Bufpee's Dest MIXTUFE Select assortment or choice colors and color combinations. Flowers are extra large with broad overlapping sepals which gives the flower a round appearance rather than the 5-petaled effect seen in McKana's Giants. The petals stand out in bold contrast to long, narrow spurs. Early blooming. Pkt.  $40 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.60;  $\frac{1}{36}$  oz. \$2.75

3764 Mrs. Scott Elliott Strain Marvelous array of splendid colors, ranging through shades of lavender, orchid, mauve, blue, purple, yellow, pink, red, etc. Many flowers per plant with spurs of some slightly incurved to flared. Many flowers are bicolored. Pkt.  $35 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$2.50

3762 Blue Shades Vary from light blue, mid-blue, deep blue to the darkest purple. Pkt. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{9}$  oz. \$2.50

3761 Crimson Star Rich crimson sepals and spurs, in contrast to the white petals, a showy and effective-combination. 1½ ft. Pkt.  $35 \not\in$ ; 1.50; 1.

3766 Longissima Bright canary-yellow flowers with the longest spurs, which usually attain a length of 4 in., although we have seen many 6 in. long. Pkt.  $50 \dot{\varepsilon}$ ; 2 pkts.  $95 \dot{\varepsilon}$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$2.75

Three offices to serve you—Philadelphia, Pa., Clinton, Iowa, Riverside, Calif.

#### CERASTIUM -- Snow-in-Summer

4619 Tomentosum A creeping, mat-like plant with silvery white woolly foliage and masses of pure white, star-shaped flower during May and June. Valuable for rock gardens, borders, or for carpeting dry sunny spots. Does well in any soil. When in full bloom, the plants appear as if covered with zone. The control of the plants appear as if covered with zone. ed with snow. They grow about 6 in. high. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

#### CENTAUREA — Hardy Cornflower

3813 Montana Lovely, clear, deep blue flowers somewhat resembling the annual single blue conflowers, but grow much larger, often 3 in. across. A source of cut flowers from June until September. 2 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ 02. 65¢; ½ 07. \$1.25

#### **CHRYSANTHEMUM**

4613 Korean Hybrids Gorgeous single. 4613 KOFEGN HYDFIGS GOTGEOUS SINGLE, semi-double and double flowers that almost completely cover the plant, in a wide range of colors. Bloom in September and continue until frost. Flower the first year if sown early. Prized for cutting. 2 to 2½ ft. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½6 oz. \$2.00

56 Perennial Glowers

## DAY LILIES—Hemerocallis

3503 Burpee's Best Mixed Select mixture offering a wide variety of colors, types and sizes of this ideal garden flower which is as easy to raise from seed as any annual.
Colors include shades of pink, red. purple. yellow and gold. With this hand-pollinated you can raise plants that surpass some of the highest priced day lilies and have kinds never before seen anywhere. Bloom-in July and grow 2½ ft. and more tall. Pkt. (50 seeds) \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.95



3503 Day Lilies, Best Mixed Pht. \$1.00

#### **CHINESE LANTERNS**

Physalis francheti

4649 Largely grown for their vividly colored, orange-red, lantern-shaped fruits which, when cut and dried, are widely used for winter bouquets. Do well in a sunny situation in any ordinary garden soil. The bright red lanterns are ready in the late summer of the second year from sowing of seed. When cut.they will keep for weeks. 2 ft. Pkt. 35¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50; ½ oz. \$2.50

#### CHEIRANTHUS

Siberian Wallflower

3816 Golden Bedder Large golden yellow, sweet-scented flowers. Plants usually produce 10 to 15 spikes 12 to 18 in. high. produce 10 to 15 spikes 12 to 18 in. high. Best grown as a biennial. Highly esteemed for the delicious fragrance of their flowers which are often produced the first year from seed if it is sown early. Blooms most profusely during May and June. Prized for cutting, rock gardens and borders. Does well in any good, well-drained garden soil.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ 02. 75¢; ½ 02. \$1.30

Average heights and blooming season are given in the descriptions, Some var-iation is natural in different localities,

Cerastium Chrysanthemum 4613 Korean Hybrids Pkt. 50¢ 4649 Chinese Lanterns Pkt. 35¢ 4619 Tomentosum Pkt. 25¢ Cheiranthus 3816 Golden Bedder Pkt. 25¢

## **DELPHINIUMS**—Hardy Larkspur

Delphiniums are among the most beautiful and most widely used perennials for garden display and cutting. The regal stateliness of their massive, colorful spikes is unequalled by any other flower. They are of easy culture, succeeding best in deep, rich, well-drained soil. Bloom in June, and if spikes are not allowed to go to seed, new growth will be produced—usually three crops are had in one season. Flowers the first year if sown early.

3815 Belladonna Improved Large, single flowers of an exquisite shade of turquoise-blue loosely arranged on tall, slender spikes. Highly prized for cutting. 3 to 4 ft. Pkt. 35¢; 16 oz. \$1.00; 1/2 oz. \$1.85

3836 Bellamosum Improved Deep gentian-blue single flowers loosely placed on strong graceful spikes. 3 to 4 ft, tall.

Pkt. 35¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

3823 Burpee Mammoth, Mixed Colors Colors range from azure-blue to deepest purple, mauve-pink to rosy lavender, with many opaline variations. Double, semi-double and single flowers of immense size are freely produced on solid, erect spikes of great rigidity. 4 to 6 ft. high. Pkt. 50¢; 346 oz. \$1.50; 36 oz. \$2.75

3841 Giant Hollyhock Flowered (Wrexham) The stately plants, with their large single, semi-double and double blooms, closely set together, form beautiful spirelike spikes not unlike those of hollyhocks. All shades of blue from the palest to deepest indigo, with many intermediary pasted tones of mauve, pink and lavender blendings, are included in this mixture. 6ft. tall. Pkt. 40¢; ½4 cs. 31.00; ½ cs. 31.85

4628 Choicest Mixed, Gold Medal Exquisite, single, semi-double and double flowers ranging in color from the lightest shade of blue to darkest purple. 3 to 4 ft. Pkt. 35¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

#### Floradale Giants

Marvelous type, with strong spikes, 4 to 6 ft. tall, studded with large double, semi-double, and single blooms, which often measure 2 in. and more in diameter. A planting is sure to demand admiration.

3758 Art or Pastel Shades Showy.

3827 Deep Blue Shades Excellent. 3828 Light Blue Shades Beautiful.

3849 Mid-Blue Shades Striking. 3829 White Varieties Unusual.

4622 All Colors Mixed Gay mixture of colors from sky-blue through cornflower-blue, mauve, heliotrope to deep pansy-purple, with many opaline variations and crested "bees" in white, cream, and black,

Any of the above Floradale Giants: Pkt. 50¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.50; 1/3 oz. \$2.75

#### **Giant Pacific**

Tall, slender, graceful flower spikes of very large and well-formed blooms. Many of the plants are highly resistant to mildew. We offer an extra choice strain made up over a period of years by careful selection and which we can highly recommend for cutting, exhibition, prized beds, tall borders and backgrounds. Plants grow 4 to 5 ft. high.

3847 Black Knight Series Imposing flowers of varying darkest violet shades.

3838 Blue Bird Series Clearest medium blues with white "bees." Huge.

3832 Blue Jay Series Medium to dark blue shades with dark "bees"; intense and much alive. Long, dense spikes.

3837 Cameliard Series The round, beautifully formed flowers are very large, up to 3 in. across; clear lavender in contrast to the white "bee" in center.

3793 Galahad Series Most impressive and desirable; pure glistening white, giant flowers in heavy branching trusses.

3848 Guinevere Series Large double flowers of lovely light lavender-blue shades with lighter blue centers. Graceful spikes.

3831 King Arthur Series Flowers are large; deep blue and blue-violet tones in contrast to the prominent white centers.

3839 Lancelot Series Soft and distinct shade of pure lilac set off by a white "bee." Individual flowers are very large.

3846 Round Table Series Each year hundreds of crosses are made especially for this group. Some exceptional colors and color combinations can be expected.

3835 Summer Skies Series Very large flowers of clear, pure, pleasing shades of azure-blue, light and deep sky blue. Soft and refined; clean and pure. Strong spikes.

Any of the above Series of Giant Pacific Delphiniums:

Pkt. 50¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.50; 1/8 oz. \$2.75

3834 Astolat Series New shades of pink from pale blush through varied tones of lilac-pink to deep raspberry-rose with contrasting large fawn, brown or black "bees." Well-formed spikes of great beauty, Pkt. \$1.00; ½6 oz. \$2.50



Giant Pacific Delphiniums, 4633 All Colors Mixed Pkt. 50¢

4633 All Colors Mixed, Giant Pactific Magnificent blend of all the different named series. A planting is always sure to demand admiration whether in beds or borders; the tall, majestic spikes are most imposing and highly valuable for exhibition. Vigorous growing and very free blooming. White and varied blue shades. Pkt. 50£; ½6 cs. 2.5.150; ½ cs. 2.\$2.75

Giant Pacific Delphiniums
Black Knight, Cameliard,
Galahad and Summer Skles

4787-SPECIAL: One pkt. of each variety, 4 pkts. in all, value \$2.00 for only \$1.75

## **DIANTHUS**—Hardy Garden Pinks

Brilliantly colored flowers for beds, borders, rock gardens, edgings and cutting. The dwarf plants are free blooming and produce flowers of different forms and sizes. Of easy culture; succeed in all soils. Many will bloom the first year if the seed is sown early.

4621 Allwoodi Mixed Double, semi-double and single flowers in a wide range of colors, some with different colored centers. Bloom from early spring till fall. 1 ft. tall. Pkt. 35¢; ½6 oz. \$1.35; ½ oz. \$2.50

3842 Cheddar Pinks (Caesius splendens) Bright pink, sweet-scented, daintily fringed flowers are freely produced in May and June on dwarf, compact plants, 10 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

3875 Crimson Bedder Hybrid Velvety crimson single and semi-double fringed flowers from May to September. 1 ft. high. Pkt. 25¢; ½s oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

3845 Maiden Pinks (Deltoides brilliant) Rich rosy crimson flowers are profusely borne in June and July on 10 in. plants. Pkt. 25¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.00; ¾ oz. \$1.85 3853 Plumarius, Double Mixed Double and semi-double fragrant, fringed blooms in a wide range of pretty colors. Plumarius is the old-fashioned, English hardy pink that is used by the thousands in the rock gardens and borders of Great Britain and a favorite over here. Plants grow 18 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/2 oz. \$1.85

3844 Red Clusters (Cruentus) Many dark crimson-scarlet semi- to full double flowers in clusters all summer long until frost. The attractive plants grow 15 to 18 in. high.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½6 oz. \$1.85

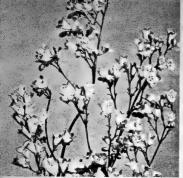
3804 Rare Species Mixed An exceptionally fine mixture of the choicest dwarf growing species for borders. Perfect little gems for exposed places and indispensable for rock gardens. Also widely used along rock walls or for edging borders. Grow 10 to 12 in, tall and bloom most profusely.

Pkt. 35¢; ½6 oz. \$1.50; ½6 oz. \$2.50

Burpee Seeds Grow

4621 Dianthus, Allwoodi Mixed Pkt. 356

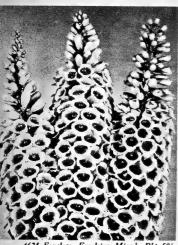




4617 Coral Bells, Mixed Colors Pkt. 356



4611 Coreopsis grandiflora double Pkt. 356



4625 Foxglove, Excelsior Mixed Pkt. 50¢



#### CORAL BELLS

4617 Mixed Colors (Heuchera sanguinea) Dainty white, pink, rose, and crimson bell-shaped blooms on graceful, slender spikes 18 in. long from June until September. Fine for border, rock garden and cutting. Prefer moist, well-drained soil and semi-shade.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 46 oz. \$2.25

#### COREOPSIS - Golden Wave

One of the most popular and easiest grown hardy plants. Blooms profusely from May until autumn if flowers are not allowed to go to seed. Will flower the first year if seed is sown early. Showy in the border, fine for cutting. Vigorous growing; drought resistant. Grows in any soil, but does best in moderately fertilized, light loam in full sun, 2 to 3 ft. high; except Maritima 3 ft. tall.

3811 Grandiflora Large, single, golden yellow flowers; an improved old favorite.
Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

4611 Grandiflora Double Beautifully formed double and semi-double bright golden yellow flowers on long, stiff stems. Pkt. 35¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.75

3826 Maritima Immense, bright canaryyellow flowers, 4 in. across; tall, bushy, free-blooming plants with feathery foliage. Also known as Leptosyne maritima. 3 ft. Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.40

3822 Mayfield Giant The brilliant deep golden yellow flowers are extra large, bigger than the grandiflora single or double types, Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.40

#### FOXGLOVE—Digitalis

Flowers are shaped and spotted like gloxinias. Do well in sun or half-shade; bloom in June and July. Splendid for beds and borders. Being biennials, seed should be sown every year for a continuous display.

4625 Excelsior Mixed Prize Winner, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Distinctly different; earlier blooming, larger flowers borne horizontally all around the stem instead of the usual drooping blooms on three sides only. These valuable characteristics make wider, more showy spikes and reveal the pretty markings and contrasting blotches inside the flowers. Colors include pink, rose, purple, cream, primrose and white. 4 it. and more tall.

Pkt. 50¢; 'yis oz. \$3.75; 'ys oz. \$3.25

4612 Giant Shirley, Mixed Colors Extra large bell-shaped flowers in a wide range of colors, many blotched or spotted crimson, maroon or chocolate. Strong 6 ft. plants,

Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.85



3933 Gaillardia, Portola Hybrids Pht. 256

## GAILLARDIA

Blanket Flower

Gorgeously colored, long-stemmed daisylike flowers in profusion from June to October. Showy in the garden; fine for cutting. Easily grown, the plants often flowering the first year if seed is sown early. Thrive in full sun and any good light or medium garden soil. Will stand drought and hot weather; always dependable and a widely grown garden favorite for many purposes. 2 ft. tall, except Goblin which grows 1 to 1½ ft. high.

3883 **Burgundy** The reddest gaillardia—shining wine-red petals sometimes tipped yellow. Exceedingly showy and effective.

3855 Duzzler Rather large flowers of bright golden yellow with deep crimson-maroon center. Charming as a cut flower.

3857 **Goblin** Nice for borders; profuse blooming plants, 1 to 1½ ft. tall, covered with large bright yellow flowers zoned red.

3933 Portola Hybrids Attractive bronzy scarlet flowers heavily tipped with golden yellow. Large flowers on strong, stiff stems provide a gay effect continuously from June until frost. A most desirable hardy plant that stands adverse conditions well.

3858 Tangerine Showy, cheerful blooms in various shades of tangerine-orange with coppery cast. Distinct and pleasing tones. Plants are of rather compact growth,

Any of the above Gaillardia: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.40

#### 5 Popular Hardy Perennial Flowers

Columbine, Long-Spurred, Burpee's Best Mixture; Coreopsis grandiflora; Delphinium, Choicest Mixed; Gaillardia, Portola Hybrids; Gypsophila Single white

4781—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 5 excellent separate varieties, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.50 for only \$1.25

# GYPSOPHILA—Perennial Baby's Breath

4627 Oldhamiana Especially valuable because it blooms after other varieties are past. The light rose-pink flowers are borne most profusely on stiff stems 2½ ft. long.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 75¢; ⅓8 oz. \$1.25

3864 Pacifica Much branched plants of the paniculata type but taller, more erect growing, and later blooming: flowers are clear rose-pink. Good for cutting. 3 to 4 ft.

Pkt. 35¢; ½6 oz. 95¢; ½8 oz. \$1.50

3861 Early Snowball (paniculata double) Larger flowered and earlier blooming than Double White. Miniature balls of pure white blossoms cover the 2 to 3 ft. plants. Pkt. 35¢; ¼6 oz. 95¢; ¾ oz. \$1.50

4632 Double White (paniculata fl. pl.) Small, double white blooms in branched panicles during June and July. 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; ½6 oz. 95¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

3863 Single White (paniculata) Tiny white flowers on slender stems are produced so freely as to give the plant a mistlike effect. Blooms during June and July. All paniculata types are valuable for mixing with other flowers in the fresh state and they can be dried for winter use. 21/4 ft. Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25

3935 Repens Rose (Dwarf pink) Trail-Small pink flowers in June and July, 6 in.
Pkt. 25¢; ¼6 oz. 75¢; ⅓ oz. \$1.25

Perennial Flowers

# **BURPEE'S HOLLYHOCKS**

Hollyhocks are old garden favorites, excellent for a background to dwarfer plants, for screening unsightly places, and planting along bare walls. They are of the easiest culture, succeeding best in deep, rich, well-drained soil. The plants like a warm, sunny location, sheltered from the wind and should be staked. Bloom from late spring until midsummer.

#### **Double Flowered Hollyhocks**

#### **FORDHOOK GIANTS**

Flowers are very large—up to 4 in. across. The stately spikes grow 5 to 6 ft. tall.

3899 Crimson Rather showy and unusual.

3867 Newport Pink Soft, delicate shade.

3879 Rose Pleasing shade of deep rose.

3869 Scarlet Intense, brilliant scarlet.
3859 White Combines well with the others.

3897 Deep Yellow Artistic and unusual.

**4626 All Colors Mixed** A splendid assortment of all the above and other colors.

Any of the above Hollyhocks:

Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

4631 Burpee's Funcy Blend Large double flowers with waved and fringed petals of many unusual colors. 5 to 6 ft. tall. Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75

3872 Carnation Flowered Mixed Beautiful large blooms, 4 to 5 in, across, resembling a huge carnation. Extremely double, with rather narrow petals arranged so as to form large, fluffy pompons which are solidly set on the tall, spire-like stalks. 5 to 6 it. Pkt.  $25 \xi^*$ ;  $\frac{1}{2} 6 x$ ,  $75 \xi^*$ ;  $\frac{1}{4} 6 x$ , 5 t.

#### Single Large Hollyhocks

3862 Mixed Colors Magnificent plants 8 ft. tall, the spikes studded with huge single flowers in a wide range of colors from white to maroon. Choice mixture. Pkt. 25¢. 1/4 oz. \$1.25

4631 Hollyhock, Fancy Blend Pkt. 35¢

# Six Tall, Stately Double Hollyhocks Crimson, Newport Pink, Rose, Scarlet, White and Deep Yellow

4777 — SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these six colors of the Fordhook Giants, having a total value of \$1.50 for only \$1

#### GEUM-Avens

Dainty double blooms are freely produced on long stems from June to September if not allowed to go to seed. Needs protection over winter in cold sections, or, in such localities, treat as annuals by starting seed early indoors. Valuable for cutring excellent in the border, 1½ to 24t. tall.

3876 Lady Stratheden Bright golden yellow, loosely double flowers; rich color.

3914 Mrs. Bradshaw Large, double, fiery scarlet, showy flowers in great profusion.

Either of the above Geum:

Pkt. 35¢; 4/16 oz. \$1.50; 1/8 oz. \$2.50

#### HELIANTHEMUM—Rock Rose

3865 Mixed Colors (Mutabile) Dwarf, evergreen plants with innumerable lovely rose, pink, yellow and white blooms during May and June. Ideal for dry, sunny situations in borders, banks or rock gardens. 1 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.25

#### IBERIS—Perennial Candytuft

4635 Sempervirens White During spring and early summer the dwarf, neat evergreen, shrubby plants are hidden under a mass of large and showy clusters of white flowers. Excellent for rock gardens or borders, extremely charming on ledges or walls, and useful as a ground covering. Does well in dry places, but water freely during periods of drought. Plants grow 10 in. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.50; ¼ oz. \$2.50

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3876 Geum, Lady Stratheden Pkt. 35¢

#### LATHYRUS LATIFOLIUS

Perennial Pea

4645 Mixed Colors Vigorous climbing or trailing plants with showy clusters of pink, white and reddish purple sweet-pealike flowers from June until September if not allowed to go to seed. Desirable for training on trellis, fence, pergola, arch or trailing over banks, rocks, rough places; good for cutting. Quick grower. Succeeds in almost any kind of soil and location with practically no care. 5 to 6 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ (α. 75¢; ½ (α. Σ1.40

#### LILIES FROM SEED—Lilium

Lilies are easily grown from seed and last for years once they are established. They require well-drained soil and will grow in sun or half-shade. As cut flowers they bring exotic beauty to arrangements.

3874 Philippinense formosanum If seed is sown early, some blooms may be expected the first year. It usually requires 6 to 8 months after seed is sown before flowers appear. If grown in pots, plants will often bloom two or three times a year. Long, trumpet-shaped white flowers with reflexing petals are borne in umbels and somewhat resemble an Easter Lily, 2 to 3 ft. Pkt. 50; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1 yex. \$2.00.

3873 Regal (Regale) Gorgeous, trumpetshaped, heavily scented white blooms with 'a touch of canary-yellow deep in throat and a shading of lilac-pink on the outside. Strong growing; bloom in July, 3 to 5 ft. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½ oz. \$2.00

Hardy Garden Lily Bulbs, pages 112 and 113

Burpee Seeds Grow 5





4645 Lathyrus, Mixed Colors Pht. 25¢



3873 Regal Lily Pkt. 50¢



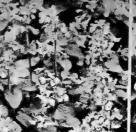




4637 Perenne Blue Pkt. 256



Lychnis 4647 Chalcedonica Pkt. 356



3882 Mussini Pkt. 35¢



Primula polyanthus 4634 Giant Mixed Pkt. Pkt. 50¢

#### LINUM-Perennial Flax

4637 Perenne Blue Light blue flowers in great profusion from May until August that are especially nice in the rock garden. Easily grown from seed. Succeeds in ordinary sol and an open, sunny location 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ 0z. 75¢; ½ 0z. \$1.25

#### LUPINES—Lupinus polyphyllus

Magnificent plants with elegant spikes of pea-flower-like blooms during May and June. Good for cutting. Succeed in well-drained, sandy or light woods soil. 3 ft.

Russell Well-rounded, thickly set spikes of the most extraordinary colorsblues, pinks, reds, yellows, purples, and other self-colors; also a beautiful assortment of bicolors—the most beautiful of all perennial lupines. Spikes are long and symmetrical with flowers borne well above the splendid foliage. Extra select mixture. Pkt. 35¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

4636 Burpee's Improved Hybrids Contains a wide range of the more delicate colors—creamy pink, orange, salmon, chocolate, lavender, etc., and some bicolors.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

#### LYCHNIS—Maltese Cross

4647 Chalcedonica Easily and quickly grown from seed and will bloom the first year if seed is sown early. Valuable for beds. borders and cutting. Flowers are fiery scarlet; each individual blossom forms a Maltese Cross. June and July. 2 ft. high. Pkt. 35¢; 36 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.75

#### **NEPETA**

3882 Mussini Pretty upright spikes layender-blue flowers cover the neat little bushes from May until September. Both foliage and flowers are aromatic. Nepeta, also known as Catmint and Ground Ivy, is much used in rock gardens. Grows 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1,75

# 60 Lupines 4636 Burpee's Improved Hybrids Pkt. 256

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3895 Pyrethrum roseum, Startler Pkt. 356

## PYRETHRUM ROSEUM

Persian or Painted Daisy

Basily and quickly grown from seed. Bloom in May and June, and if the plants are cut back they will bloom again later in the season. Wonderful cut flowers. 2 ft. tall. Usually known as Pyrethrum roseum, but actually is Chrysanthemum coccineum.

3894 Single Ruby Red Large ruby-red flowers, mostly single, although there are occasionally some semi-double blooms. Pkt. 25¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.25; ¾6 oz. \$2.25

3895 Startler Showy, single flowers, 3 in. across, of a striking deep crimson-rose color in contrast to the light yellow center. Pkt. 35¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.50; ⅓ oz. \$2.50

4648 Single Mixed The large, daisy-like blooms in white, and many shades of rose, pink, lilac and red are most desirable for cutting; showy subjects in the garden.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

4642 Double Mixed Seed has been saved from full double flowers, but some semi-doubles and singles can be expected. White, rose, pink, crimson, flesh-pink and red in mixture. Especially valuable for cutting.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½6 oz. \$1.50





#### **PRIMULA**—Hardy Primroses

Beautiful early spring flowering perennials with colorful blooms of varied forms. They prefer half-shade and rich, moist, but well-drained soil. Fine for edgings, borders, and rock gardens; most effective if planted in groups. Seed is often slow to germinate.

3893 Auricula, Finest Mixed Many bright colors, including pastel shades, soft orange and copper-brown. The plants grow 6 in. tall and bloom during April and May. Flowers are delightfully fragrant.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ 6 oz. \$2.50; ½ oz. \$4.50

4634 Polyanthus, Giant Mixed (Primula veris elatior) Very large clusters of flowers in various shades of orange, yellow, cream, pink, rose, crimson, lilac, purple, violet, as well as white. The plants grow 6 to 9 in. tall and produce numerous flowers in April and May, Individual flowers are large, some eyed with contrasting color, others often gold laced; all are beautiful. It is also referred to as Burch Primrose.

Pkt. 50¢; 1/16 oz. \$2.00; 1/8 oz. \$3.50

#### RUDBECKIA—Coneflower

3881 Purpured Large, daisy-like, pastel garnet-purple flowers with prominent cone-shaped centers. July and August. 3 to 4 ft. While commonly cultivated as Rudbeckia purpurea, botanically, it is *Echinacea* purpurea. For garden, borders and cutting.

3892 Speciosa (Newmani) Brilliant, rich orange-yellow, daisy-like blooms with deep brown centers. July to September. 3 ft. Either of above Rudbeckias:

Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.40

Giant Hybrid Tetraploid Rudbeckias, sensational flowers offered as Gloriosa Daisies (page 24). May be grown as an annual or perennial.

#### SALVIA — Hardy Blue Sage

3903 Azurea grandiflora Long spikes of bright sky-blue flowers are freely produced during August and September. Makes a fine display in sunny borders or cut. 3 ft. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/8 oz. \$2.50

3892 Rudbeckia speciosa Pkt. 25¢



# **BURPEE'S HARDY POPPIES**

The colorful beauty of perennial poppies assures them a place in every garden. They are of easy culture, growing to perfection in any average well-drained garden soil and in a sunny or only slightly shaded location. Seed is best sown where the plants are to bloom. This is especially true of the Oriental type.

# Iceland Poppies—Papaver nudicaule

Iceland Poppies are charming in the border or rock garden, and furnish ideal cut flowers when picked while in bud. The plants form neat, compact tufts of bright green foliage, from which arise graceful, wiry stems bearing their flowers in brilliant colors in early summer and more or less throughout the season. Will flower the first year if sown early. Often grown as an annual. 15 to 18 in. tall, except where noted.

3866 Yellow Wonder All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Showy, cup-shaped flowers, 4 in, across, of rich snaped nowers, 4 in, across, or non-lemon-yellow changing to bright butter-cup-yellow with lighter centers. It is longer stemmed and more vigorous growing than any other Iceland Poppy. Ideal for garden and border use as well as for cutting, since the flowers last a long time in the garden and when cut. A profuse bloomer, Grow 2 ft. high.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

3905 Coonara Pink improved Gorgeous pink shades of varying intensity from soft pink to deep rose, apricot,

salmon, etc., are in this selection.

Pkt. 35¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.35

3891 Sandford Giants Very large blooms on strong, long stems in a beau-tiful range of pastel and deeper colors. Flowers grow up to 4 in. across. Sure to attract attention. Plants 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 30¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

3904 Burpee's Best Mixed An extra choice blend of the finest large-flowered varieties in a wide range of most beautiful colors. Some flowers have attractively crinkled crepe-like petals. 1½ ft.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.35

3922 All Colors Mixed Choice mixture of many colors for a gorgeous display. The flowers are of good size; stems are long and wiry. Makes a nice show.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00



Oriental Poppies—Papaver orientale Huge, brilliantly colored blooms borne profusely during May and June on plants 3 ft. and more tall. Color of flowers may not come 100% true from seed but will show a good percentage of the proper color. The plants may be left undisturbed for years when once established. If possible, grow in a sheltered location away from the wind.

3884 Brilliant Red (orientale) Brightest orange-scarlet with a large, conspicuous purplish black blotch at the base of each petal. Striking, especially in masses, Pkt.  $25\varepsilon_1$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 51.85

4644 All Colors Mixed Fiery red, scarlet, crimson, orange-scarlet and the loveliest shades of pink in a glorious blend. Pkt. 35¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.35; 1/4 oz. \$2.50





4644 Oriental Poppy, Mixed Colors Pkt. 35¢

4615 Shasta Datsy, Floradale Pkt. 356



#### STOCKS—Sweet Scented

3912 Emperor Large spikes of fragrant, double flowers in a wide range of colors. Prized for cutting for indoor decoration. Best treated as a biennial. 1 to 1½ ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; % oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

#### SCABIOSA—Blue Bonnet

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4641 House's Giant Mixed Long
stemmed giant flowers of various shades,
ranging in color from deepest ultramarineblue to the palest lavender, azure-blue and
silvery white mixed. The petals are attractively ruffled. The beautiful flowers of artistic form are highly prized for cutting as
well as for use in garden borders. In bloom
from June to September. Grows 1½ to 2 ft.
tall. Succeeds in any good, fairly rich soil
and in a location exposed to the sun.

Pkt. 50¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50; ¼ oz. \$2.75

#### GROW YOUR OWN PERENNIALS

It is easy to grow hardy plants from seed and save a lot of money. Why buy the plants—grow your own. We offer a wide assortment of the choicest varieties.

Scablosa 4641 House's Giant Mixed Pkt. 50¢



#### SHASTA DAISY

Desirable for borders and cut flowers, doing best in moist but well-drained soil in a sunny or partially shaded location. Dure glistening white flowers in June and July. Easy to grow with little care. 2 to 2½ ft. Commonly grown as Shasta Daisy although it is Chrysanthemum maximum botanically. Best grown as a biennial.

4618 Alaska Large white, single flowers, 4 to 5 in. across, with small yellow centers. Stems are long and strong. Very popular. Pkt. 25¢; γ/6 oz. 75¢; γ/6 oz. \$1.25

4615 Floradale Daisy The petals are shredded, quilled and gracefully incurved, giving the large, pure white flower a semi-double, chrysanthenum-like appearance.

Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/2 oz. \$2.25

#### SIDALCEA -- Prairie Mallow

3906 Mixed Colors Erect, slender spikes of mallow-like flowers varying from blushpink to crimson. June and July. Does well in sunny borders. Blooms first year if the seed is sown early. Valuable as cut flowers in arrangements. Grows 2 to 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75

#### 5 Popular Dwarf Hardy Flowers for Rock Garden and Border

Alyssum saxatile compactum Arabis alpina Cerastium tomentosum Coral Bells, Mixed Colors Linum perenne blue

4718 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 5 separate varieties, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.35 for only \$1



4643 Sweet William, Double Mixed Pki. 356



3896 Statice latifolia Pkt. 256



3924 Tritoma, Burbank's Hybrids Pkt. 35¢



3783 Trumpet Vine Pkt. 256

3886 Viola cornuta, Apricot Pkt. 25¢



#### SWEET WILLIAM—Dignthus barbatus

Large, showy flower-heads composed of numerous good-sized individual blooms in May and June. Of easy culture. For best results, treat as a biennial. Grow 1 to 1½ ft. tall.

3907 Copper Red Bright copper tone.

3936 Crimson Beauty Crimson with a white center marked deeper crimson. 3928 Holborn Glory Many colors, all having a distinct, showy white eye.

4639 Newport Pink Watermelon-pink.

3918 Pink Beauty Pink suffused salmon.

3911 Scarlet Beauty Bright scarlet.

3915 Pure White Glistening white.

Any of the above named Sweet William: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

3913 Single Mixed Many self colors, others with a clear white eye and sometimes varicolored flowers. Pkt. 25¢ /4 oz. \$1.50

4643 Double Mixed Wonderful range of colors. A high percentage of double flowers can be expected from this select strain.

Pkt. 35¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25; 1/4 oz. \$2.25

#### **Dwarf Sweet William**

The dwarf, compact plants are covered with colorful clusters of single flowers. Fine for edgings and charming in rock gardens.

3018 Wee Willie Gay combinations of zoned and edged flowers. Only 4 in. tall.

Pkt. 50¢; ¼6 oz. \$2.00; ⅓ oz. \$3.75

4646 Mixed Colors Plants only 6 in. tall. Pkt. 35¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25; 1/4 oz. \$2.25

5 Showy Sweet William Copper Red, Crimson Beauty, Newport Pink, Scarlet Beauty and Pure White

4801-SPECIAL: One pkt. of \$1 each, value \$1.25 for \$1

#### **STATICE**—Sea Lavender

Masses of dainty flowers in large panicles. Useful for cutting; the flowers when dried Osein for cutting, the nowers when are all ast for months. In bloom during July and August. 2 to 3 ft., except Lavender Gem which is 1 ft. tall. Pretty in rock gardens. While known as Statice for years, the correct botanical name is Limonium.

3917 **Dumosa** Soft, silvery gray flowers. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85

3896 Latifolia Immense lavender-purple Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

3919 Lavender Gem Light lavender. Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.85

#### TRITOMA—Red Hot Poker

Tall spikes topped by narrow, tubular flowers from pale yellow to orange-red. August to October. For border and cutting. Not reliably hardy in cold regions; winter over in coldframe, 3 to 4 ft. Commonly sold as Tritoma but botanically it is Kniphofia.

3925 Burpee's Best Mixture Unusual colors not seen in other mixtures. Superb. Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

3924 Burbank's Hybrids Tall, erect, and vigorous plants. Rare colors in mixture. Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25

#### TRUMPET VINE—Campsis

3783 An easily grown woody climber with 3783 An easily according to the billiant orange-scarlet, trumpet-shaped blooms in July and August. Often climbs to a height of 30 ft, and will cling to tree trunks, rough walls, wood and rocks. Long known as Tecoma and Bignonia radicans.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

#### **WALLFLOWER**—Sweet Scented

3852 Fine Double Mixed Long spikes 3852 Fine Double Mixed Long spikes closely set with large, double, fragrant flowers in yellow, russet, brown and mahogany colors in May. Needs winter protection in cold sections; in very cold regions, place in coldframe. 1 to 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼6 oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

#### **VIOLA CORNUTA**

#### Large Flowered Tufted Pansies

Smaller flowered than pansies and more persistent. Easily grown, dependable, and full of bloom all through the summer until hard frost if the faded blossoms are kept picked off. Lovely in beds, rock gardens and edgings. Bloom the first year if seed is sown early; in fact, it is grown as an annual in many sections, especially where winters are severe. 6 in. is average height, Do well in any good garden soil but do best in rich soil in partially shaded locations.

3887 Admiration Deepest violet-blue.

3886 Apricot Rich apricot tinged orange.

3927 Arkwright Ruby Bright ruby-red. 3898 Avalanche Glistening snow-white.

3937 Blue Perfection Soft light blue.

3938 Chantryland Pure apricot over-all.

3868 Yellow Perfection Deep yellow. 4624 Special Mixture All best colors.

Any of the above Viola cornuta: Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.75

## VERONICA—Speedwell

Thrives in full sun or light shade but prefers moist, well-drained soil. Easily grown.

3932 Blue Candle Long, slender spikes closely set with beautiful blue flowers are profusely borne in July and August. 2 ft. Pkt. 35¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

3926 **Spicata, Mixed** Bright blue, pink and white mixed. June and July. 1½ ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

#### HARDY VERBENA

3923 Venosa Spreading plants, 1 ft. tall, 3923 Venosa Spreading plants, 1 It. tall, covered with large panicles of purplish blue flowers from July until frost. Blooms the first year if started early. Largely used for bedding and makes a good ground cover.

Pkt. 35¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50; ¼ oz. \$2.50

3852 Wallflower, Double Mixed Pht. 25¢







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We guarantee the vitality and purity of Burpee's Seeds and Bulbs to the full amount of the purchase price. You can have your money back any time within a year if you are not satisfied with the results. Even with the highest quality seeds and bulbs, success in gardening depends largely upon cultivation, soil, and weather conditions. Therefore, in no case shall W. Atlee Burpee Co, be liable for more than the amount actually paid us for seeds or bulbs.

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Everything offered in this catalog will be delivered prepaid anywhere in the U. S. at the prices quoted.

#### **Commercial Growers**

If you grow Vegetables or Flowers commercially and use seeds in large quantities, send for our special prices; they will be mailed to you if you grow for resale.

# Dear Fellow Gardeners:

It occurs to me that you may be interested in knowing more about the Burpee Seed business.

In 1876, when my father, W. Atlee Burpee, was only 18 years of age he started this business with a small seed store in Philadelphia. In those early days, most of the seeds for American gardens were imported from Europe. Father knew that to build a successful business he had to supply gardeners with the best seeds that grow. Therefore he started our Fordhook Farms in Pennsylvania for flower and vegetable research in 1888, before the United States Government had any experiment stations.

Father tested seeds from all over the world and selected the best for his customers. Then in 1909, he started our Floradale Farms—the first seed farms in the Lompoc Valley, Santa Barbara County, California.

Each summer father spent three months traveling over Europe and the United States, selecting and testing flowers and vegetables for gardens in every part of America.

At first it was mostly a matter of finding improved varieties. Father found in Europe, and was the first to name and introduce in this country, superior varieties that still are amongst the most popular, such as Copenhagen Market Cabbage and Golden Self-Blanching Celery. And in America he found and was the first to introduce Golden Bantam, the most popular Sweet Corn; and the most famous of all Bush Lima Beans, Fordhook and the Burpee Improved.

Now, in addition to searching for new and better varieties of vegetables and flowers, we create them by modern scientific methods, and Burpee's Americangrown seeds are planted in practically every civilized country in the world.

The first hybrid vegetable seeds in America, such as Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Eggplant, Zucchini Squash, and Cantaloupe, were produced through research on our Fordhook Farms in Pennsylvania. Burpee was also the first American seedsman to produce hybrid seeds of flowers such as the Alldouble and Single Hybrid Petunias, Hybrid Marigolds, and Hybrid Zinnias. And the first Tetraploid flowers such as the Giant Ruffled or Tetra Snapdragons came from our Floradale Farms.

My introduction to the seed business was through traveling with father, taking his notes, and working with him on our Fordhook Farms where we lived, and where I still live. All of this close association was of great benefit to me, for on father's death I was better able to take charge of the business. A year later, my brother joined me, and now my son and my brother's son are seedsmen, too.

The fact that we supply gardeners with the finest quality flower and vegetable seeds is the reason for the success of the Burpee business. And to continue to supply you with the best seeds and bulbs always will be our purpose.

It is our hope that the best gardens always will be planted with Burpee Seeds.

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President

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# **Burpee Wins 1960 All-America Awards** for Three Different Classes of Flowers

ANNUAL PHLOX Glamour, newest of the Tetras and aptive named, earned the Bronze aptive named, it really should be seen to be some appreciated for neither words nor pictures seem to glamorous mid-salmon cures seem followers are glamorous and sowers. The individual flowers are large; plants only 14 in. tall. Being a large; plants only 14 in. tall. Being tetraploid. Glamour is vigorous, infertraploid. Gree flowering—a joy for form and free flowering—a garden or cutting. See opposite page. Winner of a Bronze Medal is Toreador, Hybrid MARIGOLD

SNAPDRAGON Vanguard, one of a new race of giant, a first-generation (Fi). Hybrids called a first-generation (Fi) appdragons, won a Burpes Supreme Snapdragonde Snap-Bronze Medal—the first double Snap-Bronze Medal—the first double America dragon to ever get an All-America dragon to ever get an All-America Bronze Medal—the first double Snap-dragon to ever get an All-America ward! Yanguard is the finest snap dragon to ever seen—beautifully ta-we have ever seen—beautifully ta-we have ever seen—beautifully ta-we have ever seen—beautifully ta-double flowers of cerise-rose enhanced double flowers of cerise-rose enhanced double flowers of cerise-rose enhanced by yellow markings. See front coor and by yellow markings. See front coor and by get the seen that the sensation, page 9 which describe this sensation.

# Burpee IS THE LEADER IN CREATING NEW AND BETTER

Annuals, because they bloom the same year from seed planted in the spring, offer the quickest and most profuse color to glorify a garden, and actually take the least care

of any kind of flowers to grow to perfection.

No other seedsman in the world has created and introduced as many new, improved annual flowers as Burpee. It is largely the creative work at Burpee's Fordhook and Floradale Seed Farms that transformed the once lowly marigold and zinnia into the gorgeous beauties they are today. Burpee introduced the first Tetra or Tetraploid flowers, and also created and introduced the first true first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrids in America. Because of Burpee's continuous research to breed better flowers as well as vegetables, gardeners look to Burpee for what's new—new colors, new types, better plant habits. On the following pages you will find the best to be had in annual flowers.

# LETTERS POUR IN FROM EVERY STATE TELLING OF GARDENERS' SUCCESS WITH BURPEE SEEDS

- "-Burpee Big Boy Tomatoes-2 entries at County Fair (Adams County) won 1st and 2nd out of 20 entries exhibited. The judge said they are the best tomatoes he had ever judged. Also won 1st in garden display (Big Boys helped). . . ." William E. Adams, Liberty, Ill.
- "—I planted Yellow Climax Marigolds last year and have never seen flowers more beautiful and long-lasting...." Mrs. Dale C. Cameron, St. Paul, Minn.
- "-I just want to let you know that I grew your Gloriosa Daisies and Mrs. Anna Schifner, Williamstown, N. I.
- "-The only kind of seeds we use is 'Burpee.' We have farmed for 20 years and always bought Burpee Seeds. Dad with his Burpee Vegestables, and Mother with her Burpee Flowers would always come in 'Class A' at the county fair...' Mrs. Elizabeth Puskas, N. Canton, Ohio.

#### LUTHER BURBANK

#### the great plant scientist, wrote us:

I have had the pleasure of sending many hundred customers to you for seeds during the past few years, as I always refer anyone asking for seeds to your firm, as personally I consider your house the most reliable retail house in the world, and I think that would be the verdict of the public at large.

Faithfully yours, (signed) Luther Burbank

- "-Have never had any flowers that have given me as much pleasure as your Gloriosa Daisies; you do not praise them half enough. Never did we have such long lasting cut flowers; some have lasted as long as four weeks. . . ." Mrs. Lulu Disbennett, Johnstown, Ohio.
- "-Climax far surpasses any other marigold in size of bloom, hardiness, foliage, insect resistance, and length of blooming period of any marigold that I have ever grown. The cut flowers stay fresh from ten days to two weeks. From twenty-four plants I have already cut over four hundred blooms, and more buds are still coming ..." E. D. Lyles, Denton, Texas.
- "-I had to write to tell you what wonderful success I've had with your Climax Marigolds. They are truly wonderful. My garden is the envy of the neighborhood and most people can't believe that they are marigolds. They look like huge muss..." Mrs. C. A. Holub, Chicago, Ill.
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- "-I plant only the Big Boy variety now because I find the tomatoes are firmer and larger. . . ." Hugh Frank Smith, Memphis, Tenn.

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Burpee Guarantee We guarantee the vitality and purity of Burpee's Seeds and Bulbs to the full amount of the purchase price. You can have your money back any time within a year if you are not satisfied with the results. Even with the highest quality seeds and bulbs, success in gardening depends largely upon cultivation, soil, and weather conditions. Therefore, in no case shall W. Attee Burpee Co. be liable for more than the amount actually paid us for seeds or bulbs.

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# BURPEE'S Famous Vegetable Seeds

GROW YOUR OWN VEGETABLES The vegetables you grow, if used when they are in

prime condition, will be fresher, taste better and contain more vitamins and minerals than those usually bought at the store. To enjoy the flavor of vegetables at their very best, they should be cooked as soon as possible after being picked. Many of today's best vegetables were first introduced by Burpee.



Vegetable Seeds and Roots are Sent Prepaid anywhere in the U.S.

#### **Maturity Dates**

The average number of days required from the time the seed is sown until vegetables are ready for use is given with each variety. Where plants must first be grown, such as Celery, Cabbage, Peppers, Tomatoes, etc., the number of days to maturity is from the time plants are set in the garden. Of course, the time is average, having been obtained over a period of years in our trial grounds under different conditions; some variation is to be expected, depending on the season, locality and time of sowing. The approximate maturity dates given will show the relative time when different varieties will be ready to use.

### Follow the Bull's Eye ()

We have used this mark, O, for years to guide the gardener in the selection of vegetable varieties which we believe will give the best results under varied conditions of soil and climate. We have reprinted an old woodcut which appeared in early Burpee Seed catalogs, the forerunner of our present symbol. This mark, O, usually called a bull's eye, was used by the ancient alchemists to represent gold. It therefore is most appropriate for indicating the varieties which we consider the best of their class. If you are not thoroughly posted on which varieties to choose for your section, we suggest you select those marked with the bull's eye.

Yellow Pod BUSH SNAP BEANS

Fine flavored snaps, fresh, canned or frozen; all stringless

### 6172 Surecrop Stringless Wax O

Tender, meaty, brittle, sweet flat pods

52 days. Rich golden yellow pods, straight to very slightly curved, 6 to 6½ in. in length, ¼ in. wide and thick-flat. Perfectly stringless at all stages. Plants bear a heavy crop of attractive, uniformly colored, large pods which can be quickly picked. Also known appropriately as Yellow Bountiful.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 6171 Burpee's Brittle Wax O-Round pods

52 days. Burpee's Brittle Wax is a most widely planted waxpodded bush bean of quality for fresh use, freezing and canning.
Pods are tender, succulent, extremely brittle and of the finest
flavor; clear, waxy yellow, smooth, round, slightly curved, 6 to
6 ½ in. long. Entirely stringless and fiberless at all stages of growth.
Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.25

#### 6176 Pencil Pod Wax-Round as a pencil

54 days. Delicious, thick, meaty pods as round as a pencil are borne profusely over a long period. They are rich yellow, deeply curved, 5 to 6 in. long, stringless, tender, brittle, fleshy and with a wonderful flavor and tenderness that is most pronounced. A good old standby that is ideal for all purposes. Deserves its popularity.

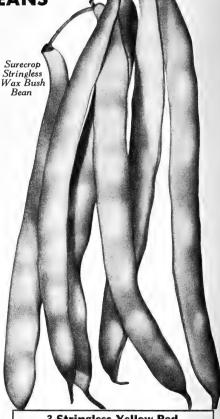
Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 5094 Rustproof Golden Wax-Top Notch

50 days. Straight, golden yellow pods, stringless and brittle, broad, flat-oval, 5 to 5 ½ in. long. Profuse bearer. Quite resistant to bean rust. Dried seeds are oval-shaped, shiny white, with reddish brown markings around the eye. Great improvement over older types. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

Burpee's Brittle Wax Bush Bean

## **Bush Snap Beans** Before the introduction of stringless bush beans, green and vellow podded varieties were known as string beans and this name, unfortunately, seems to remain in many lo-calities. Now that strings and tough fiber Cannes. Now that strings and dough methave been bred out of these varieties, we are referring to them as snap beans. Take a pod, green or yellow, break it quickly and see how it snaps. Pods are most delicious, raw or cooked, if picked when quite young and tender. They have more vitamins then, are better for you and, of course, they taste better. A pkt. of seed will sow about 25 ft. of row; one lb. will sow about 150 ft.



#### 3 Stringless Yellow Pod **Bush Snap Beans**

Burpee's Brittle Wax, Rustproof Golden Wax and Surecrop Stringless Wax

6644—SPECIAL: 1 pkt. ea., val. 65¢ only \$1.35 6653—SPECIAL: 1/2 lb. ea., val. \$1.55

6651-SPECIAL: 1 lb. ea., val. \$2.70



### 6173 Burpee's Tender Pod O

Most tender and best flavored of all green snap beans

50 days. Pods are brittle, fleshy, meaty, stringless, fiberless, 4½ to 5½ in. long, thick-round, smooth, deep green, and characterized by unusually long, curving tip ends. Of great value for fresh use, canning and freezing. Matures early and is productive over a long period. Burpee's Tender Pod seems to be less affected by adverse weather conditions than most varieties. If allowed to ripen, the dried, oval-shaped shell beans are excellent for baking or boiling. Pkt. 30¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

#### 3 Excellent Green Pod Bush Beans

Burpee's Tender Pod,

Burpee's Stringless and Improved Tendergreen

6663-SPECIAL: One pkt. of each variety, 65¢

value 80¢ for only

6672—SPECIAL: 16.60 feach variety, value \$1.40

6682—SPECIAL: 1 lb. of each variety, value \$2.50

\$2.75 for only

## **BUSH SHELL BEANS**

Extensively grown for use as dry beans

Red Kidney and White Marrowfat are grown mostly as dried beans for winter use; Dwarf Horticultural for green shelled beans, although pods may be used, when young, as snap beans. Culture is similar to that used for bush beans, but shell beans should be left on the plants until the pods are matured. The bushes are then cut, allowed to dry, and the beans threshed and thoroughly dried out before they are put away for later use. A pkt. will sow about 25 ft. of row; one lb. 150 ft. of row. Many pole beans listed on page 65, are also desirable as shell beans.

5081 Dwarf Horticultural 65 days to green shell long, thick-flat, light green in snap stage, marked with carmine at maturity. The beans are delicious whether used green or dried. Pkt. 20¢;  $\frac{1}{1}$  18.50¢; 1b.85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

5082 Red Kidney 95 days. Beans are large, kidney-shaped, pinkish red to mahogany, and are in great demand either baked, boiled, in soups or certain Spanish and Mexican dishes. They have a rich flavor, different from white shell beans and are preferred by many. Pods are 6 in. long, flat, light green, stringy and inedible. Plants are 20 to 22 in. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

5085 White Marrowfat 100 days. Pods with 5 and sometimes 6 clear white beans prized for baking. Flat, nearly straight, 4½ to 5 in. inedible pods. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50\$; 1b. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

Stringless and most delicious fresh, canned or frozen

### 6163 Burpee's Stringless Green Pod O

Extremely popular with home gardeners

50 days. Always tender, brittle, meaty, juicy, entirely stringless and of the finest flavor. The green pods are round, 5 to 6 in. long and slightly curved. Very productive.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢;
2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 6161 Bountiful O-Broad, flat, tender

48 to 50 days. The most popular of the flat green-pod bush beans for all purposes; its shape makes it ideal for Frenchcut canning. 6 to 7 in. long, stringless, broad, flat, and of the choicest quality.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 6275 Garden Green—All-America Winner

57 days. This meaty, round podded snap bean produces abundant crops of straight, smooth, bright dark green pods, 5 to 5½ in. long, stringless, fiberless and of excellent 

#### 6246 Greencrop-All-America Winner

51 days. Remain in good edible condition longer than many varieties in this group. Pods are dark green, 6 to 6½ in. long, straight, wide, stringless with delicious brittle flesh.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 95¢; 2 lbs. \$1.80; 5 lbs. \$4.00

#### 6162 Improved Tendergreen O

56 days. Extremely meaty, smooth, dark green, round, tender pods of delicious flavor, 6 to 7 in, long, straight to slightly curved, absolutely stringless at all stages of growth slightly curved, absolutely stringless at all stages of sistant, and always free from fiber. Dependable; mosaic-resistant, Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 59¢; lb. 90¢; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.75

#### 6273 Pearlgreen-All-America Winner

53 days. NEW THE YAM Pods are round, firm, smooth, light green and  $5\,\%$  in. long. Stringless at all stages, the fleshy pods are tender and of delicious flavor. Vigorous, productive plants produce a concentrated set well up off the ground. White seeded, it is excellent for canning and fresh use. Mosaic-resistant. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 60¢; lb. \$1.10; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.00

### 5092 Stringless Valentine Quite hardy

51 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. Smooth, brittle pods of fine quality, delicate flavor, entirely stringless at all stages of growth; pods are semi-round or thick-oval, dark green, 6 to 6½ in. long. Proven as a reliable cropper.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 75¢;
2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.00

#### 6166 Tenderlong-Mosaic-resistant

48 to 52 days. Quality is superb, matures early, picking season is long, yields are high; resistant to common mosaic, pod mottle virus and at least one form of powdery mildew. Stringless and fiberless, tender and rich flavored, meaty, Stringiess and incress, tender and its about 6 in. long, medium dark green, slender, round pods, about 6 in. long, Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 90¢, 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.75

#### 5084 Topcrop-Mosaic-resistant; hardy

49 days. All-America Gold Medal Winner. Medium green, round, straight to slightly curved pods, 5 ½ to 6 in. long, slender when young, meaty, entirely stringless and without fiber; clean looking, attractive, free from blemishes or disnber; crean rooking, actual for the case spots, immune to common bean mosaic; "greasy pod."

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 95¢;
2 lbs. \$1.80; 5 lbs. \$4.00

### 6165 Wade-All-America Gold Medal Winner

56 days. Wonderfully flavored, exceptionally smooth, round, stringless, slender, dark green pods, 5 ½ to 6 in. long are profusely borne well above the ground. Resistant to common bean mosaic and powdery mildew.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00;
2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.25

## Climbing or POLE BEANS

Young pods make delicious snap-shorts; also popular as green or dried shell beans. To many persons, pole beans have that good bean flavor that is lacking in some varieties of the bush type.

Pole beans come into bearing later than bush beans, yield more heavily over a longer period and some produce bigger pods. They do best if the vines, which grow \$ to 8 it, and more high, are given support, the most frequently used being rough poles, although they may be planted 3 to 5 in. apart along a trellis or fence or along a series of strings on which they may be trained.

A pkt. of seed is enough for 15 poles; one lb. for 100 poles or 300 ft. of fence, trellis or string.

#### 6232 Burpee Golden O—Best flavored of all beans

60 days. Tender, stringless, fiberless, meaty and of the most delicious flavor at all stages of growth. Pods are wide, flat, butter-yellow, 5 ½ to 6 ½ in. long, 1 in. across, and may be sliced lengthwise for cooking. Plants start out to grow like a bush bean and set their pods very early, quite close to the ground; then the runners shoot up and continue to produce tender pods of outstanding quality over a long period.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 90¢; lb. \$1.75; 2 lbs. \$3.00; 5 lbs. \$6.25

#### 6182 Kentucky Wonder O-Most widely grown green pod pole bean

65 days. Noted for the delicious flavor of the pods and the distinctive tasty flavor of the dried light brown seeds which makes them so highly desirable for use as shell beans. It is early, climbs well, and bears a heavy crop of large, green pods, 7 to 9 in. long, in clusters. They are round, thick, meaty, tender, brittle, excellent for quick freezing, fairly straight and stringless when young. Though thick, the pods appear slender.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

Kentucky Wonder Pole Beans



White seeded; heavy yielder

63 days. Flat-oval, dark green pods, 6 to 7 in. long; stringless and of very good quality when young. Rust resistant. White seeds are delicious for dry shell use, especially for baking. A popular, heavy yielding variety.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢;
2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

5114 Kentucky Wonder Wax @ 68 days. Pods slightly curved, flat-oval, light waxy yellow, 7 to 8 in. long, brittle, meaty, practically free from strings. Popular for snap beans when young or for green shell and dried beans later. Brown seeds. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 99¢; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.75

5116 Blue Lake, White Seeded 60 days. Make excellent snap beans of good quality. Pods are round-oval, medium green, 5 ½ to 6 in. long, straight, smooth, fleshy, tender, stringless and fiberless. Popular for canning and freezing. The small white seeds are suitable for dry shell use as well as for use in the fresh state.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢;
2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 5127 Horticultural (Cranberry or Wren's Egg)

70 days. Horticultural is recommended chiefly as a green or dry shell bean of good flavor that is fine for baking. The flat-oval, broad, green pods, 5 to 6 in. long, make delicious snap-shorts if they are used when young.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 80¢;

2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

5107 McCasian 63 days. Popular for snaps or shell beans. Stringless and of good quality when young, show beans. Stringless and of good quanty when young, snow slight strings when full size. Pods are dark green, curved, brittle, flat, 7 to 8 in. long. The dried seeds of McCaslan are ivory-white and slightly flatened.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

## VEGETABLE OR EDIBLE SOY BEAN, BUSH

5103 Bansei 96 days for use as green shelled beans. High of the most productive and will produce crops in nearly any section of the country. The plants are erect, bush-like and literally loaded with pods, each containing 2 or 3 oval-shaped, bright green beans which are delicious cooked as green shelled beans. When fully matured, the dried beans are nearly round, yellow and may be cooked similarly to lima beans. Suitable for quick freezing; extensively used for canning. A pkt. will plant 25 ft. of row; 1 lb. will plant 150 ft. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

Burpee Golden Pole Bean Everything offered in this catalog is Delivered Prepaid anywhere in the U.S. Bansei Edible Soy Beans



### POLE LIMA BEANS

### 6181 Burpee's Big 6 O-Longest podded of all pole lima beans

88 days. Beans are large, medium-thick, tender, of the choicest quality and flavor; their good green color is retained to a great extent when cooked. Pods are truly giant, 6 to 7 in. long, 1½ in. wide and almost always contain 6 delicious beans. In some sections, customers have reported only 5 beans to a pod. On our farms, Burpee's Big 6 averages one more bean per pod than Giant Podded or King of the Garden and grows about 1 in. longer than either of these varieties. Plants are tall growing, excellent climbers, vigorous, dependable and heavy croppers. We recommend it most highly for fresh use, canning and quick freezing.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ 1b. 60¢; 1b. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.85; 5 lbs. \$4.25

#### 5121 Burpee's Giant Podded—Produces the largest pole lima beans

90 days. Pods are 5½ to 6 in. long, 1¼ in. wide, with 4 or 5 extra large, oval-flat, green beans of the most delicious flavor; excellent for freezing. The largest beans of all pole limas. Vines are vigorous growing; attain a height of 10 ft. and freely produce their pods in clusters of 4 to 8.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 90¢; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.75

#### 5124 Burpee's Best O-Same good quality as the well-known Fordhook Bush

92 days. A pole lima with all the good characteristics of Fordhook Bush—thick seed, rich tenderness, larger pods with three or four times as many on each plant. Pods are straight, 4 to 434 in. long, 134 in. broad and 34 to 34 in. through, well filled with 4 or 5 big plump, "potato" type beans that are exceptionally tender and have the distinctive nutty flavor, somewhat like that of chestnuts, that is characteristic of the world famous bush Fordhook. Burpee's Best is excellent for quick freezing, as well as fresh use. Vines are strong climbers, growing as much as 10 to 12 ft. high. Pkt. 20¢; 142 lb. 50¢; lb. 90¢; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.75

#### 5111 Carolina or Sieva - Famous "Butter Bean" of the South

78 days. Quick to bear and therefore is especially valuable for home gardens in sections with short summers, and in localities with hot summers where pods often fail to set. Pods grow 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, and contain 3 or 4 small, flat, smooth beans of splendid quality. Shelled beans are medium green. The dried beans are small, white and are grown extensively for winter use.

Pkt.  $20\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $50\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $85\frac{1}{2}$  lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

### 5115 King of the Garden-Famous and popular

88 days. The most popular home garden pole lima for fresh use and quick freezing. The pods are about 5 in. long,  $1\frac{1}{26}$  in. wide and contain 4 and often 5 large, flat beans of excellent quality which are easily shelled. Pkt.  $20\frac{1}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $50\frac{1}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $51\frac{1}{5}$  lbs. \$3.50

#### **Pole Lima Beans**

Pole Limas mature somewhat later than bush limas and must be given support on which the vines may climb. The yield per sq. ft. of garden space is larger than that for bush limas. Many persons prefer the flavor of pole lima beans to the bush varieties.

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A pkt. of seed will plant 10 poles; 1 lb., 50 poles, Small plantings may be made along a fence or trellis, putting several beans 1 ft. apart, later thinning to one strong plant; such plantings would require 1 lb. of seed to about 50 ft. of row; a pkt. will plant about 10 ft.

Burpee's Best Pole Limas have all the good qualities of Fordhook Bush



#### Legume Aid

Mr. Ralph H. Ritter, Bordentown, N. J.

Burpee's Big 6

Pole Lima Bean as grown on the estate of

Better blooms and increased yield results when you apply Legume Aid to peas, beans, soy beans, sweet peas, etc. Treating seeds of legumes before planting causes nodules to develop on the roots. These nodules gather nitrogen from the air and convert it into plant food. 9254—Garden packet, inoculates up to 5 lbs. of seed, only 25¢

#### Fruitone

A hormone spray for stopping premature drop of fruit, flowers and leaves. Spray tomato or bean blossoms with Fruitone solution for better set and larger crop. By using double strength, seedless tomatoes can be grown. 9332—2/5 oz. packet 35£; 9331—2 ozs. \$1.25; 9141—12 ozs. \$5.00

### BUSH LIMA BEANS

### 6183 Burpee's Fordhook O-Excellent quality

The most famous lima bean in the world. First named and introduced by Burpee in 1907, and named for Burpee's Fordhook Farms.

75 days. The leading variety of bush lima beans whose dry, mealy quality and delicious flavor, not unlike chestnuts, makes Fordhook the universally known large "potato" type bush lima bean for all purposes. Pods are 4 to 4½ in. long, 1 to 1½ in. wide, and ¾ in. thick, dark green, straight to slightly curved, crowded with 3 or 4 large, plump beans. Plants are bushy, upright, and the property of t vigorous, 20 in. or more in height, 2 ft. or more across, with many pod-bearing lateral branches.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 90¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.65

#### 5093 Fordhook No. 242-All-America Bronze Medal Winner

75 days. Begins to bear about the same time as Burpee's Fordhook. The plants set well under adverse circumstances due to resistance to high temperature conditions. Heavy yielder of pods, 3 to 4 in. long, with 3 or 4 thick beans; excelient fresh, canned or frozen. Its flavor is delicious no matter how used.

Pkt. 20¢; '½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 6175 Burpee's Improved Bush Lima O-Longest pods

75 days. Easy to shell. Popular bush lima where a flatter bean than Fordhook is desired. Pods are produced in clusters of 5 or 6; they grow 4½ to 5½ in. long, 1 to 1½ in. broad, slightly curved and moderately thick, containing 4 or 5 very large, flat-oval beans of the highest quality. Good for fresh use as well as for freezing. Seeds are white with a greenish cast, becoming pale green and meaty at the cooking stage.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 5104 Baby Fordhook Bush Lima-Small, plump, green beans

70 days. Thick-seeded or "potato" type small lima bean considered by many to be of better quality than the flat type. Pods are 2¾ in. long and ¾ in. wide, thick, slightly curved, containing 3 or 4 dark green beans of high quality, close but not crowded in the pod. Plants are truly bush, only 14 in. tall, but branchy.

Pkt. 20¢; ¼ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.65

#### 5105 Henderson Bush Lima—Small, flat, greenish buttery beans

65 days. Old stand-by variety of baby lima for fresh use, canning, quick freezing as well as a fine dry shell bean. Pods are flat, straight to slightly curved, 2½ in. long, ¾ in. wide, with 3 or 4 flattish, green, small beans turning creamy white when dry. Widely used for its tasty flavor in a variety of uses.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; ∐b. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

# Bush Lima Beans Easier grown than pole limas as plants do not need support. There are Easier grown than pole limas as plants do not need support. There are varied sizes and shapes of beans to meet your preference, whether it be the large thick (Burpee's Fordhook) or small thick "potato" type (Baby Fordhook), the large flat (Burpee's Improved) or the small flat baby butter lima (Henderson Bush). Some prefer one type for eating fresh, another for dry beans or freezing. We list the best varieties for the purpose. A pkt. of large-seeded varieties will sow 15 ft. of row; one lb., 100 ft.: the small-seeded kinds will, of course, go much further. THE EFFECT OF SEASON, LOCALITY, ETC. Throughout the vegetable section of this catalog, we have given the ap-Inrougnout the vegetable section of this catalog, we have given the approximate maturity dates and other comparative information about varieties, such as their size, shape, etc. It should be understood that weather conditions, climate, soil, locality and time of sowing may affect any or all of these characteristics. The approximate maturity dates given will show the relative time when different varieties may be exceeded to be ready to use pected to be ready to use. FAVA BEAN (Bush) Burpee's 5083 Long Pod 85 days. Much hardier beans and Improved Bush sound be planted as early in the spring as the ground can be worked; they will not thrive in summer heat. Plants are large and erect, true bush form, and heavy yielders, Pods are glossy green, 7 in. long, and contain 5 to 7 large oblong-shaped, flat, light green beans, which are valuable for use as green shell beans. Pods are not edible; the large beans somewhat resemble lima beans and should be used in the same way, either cooked fresh or as a winter shell bean. Flavor is somewhat the that of the pea. A pkt. will plant 15 ft. of row; 1 lb. 75 ft. Pkt. 20g; ½ lb. 50g; lb. 85g; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50 ima Bean

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Burpee's Fordhook, the most popular Bush Lima Bean



Baby Fordhook Bush Lima



Burpee's Greenbud Broccoli



Jade Cross Brussels Sprouts





**BROCCOLI** Italian Green Sprouting

Most easily grown and delicious flavored, vitamin rich vegetable for fresh use, canning and quick freezing. Seeds sown in early spring furnish heads in summer; sowings made in midsummer will produce in late summer and fall. Pkt. provides about 125 plants; oz. 3000.

6007 Calabrese 85 days. The central large, cauliflower-like head of bluish green flower buds grows 5 or 6 in. in diameter and after being cut, numerous smaller heads appear on the side branches.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

6005 De Cicco 78 days. Very similar in every way to Calabrese but ready for use about a week earlier. Recommended highly.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

6255 **Greenbud** 60 days. Our special strain of De Cicco as grown by Burpee. It has been selected for earliness, deeper green color, large central heads, and a high production of side sprouts.

Pkt. 40¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.70; ¼ lb. \$5.00

### **ASPARAGUS** Mary Washington

Most valuable green asparagus for eating fresh, canning and quick freezing. The shoots are thick, heavy, and straight; dark green, slightly tinged purple at the tightly folded tips. Uniform, heavy yielder and fine flavor; highly resistant to asparagus rust.

5009 Seed A light cutting of stalks in three years and regular cuttings each year thereafter may be had from plants raised from seed sown this spring. For quicker results, plant our large 1-year-old carefully graded roots which are offered below.

Pkt. 20¢; 0z. 50¢; 1/4 [b. \$1.30; 1/2] lb. \$2.40

6901 Roots Roots should be planted as early in the spring as the ground can be worked. We supply large one-year-old roots, carefully graded and packed, which will furnish a light cutting next spring and regular cuttings each year thereafter. Asparagus roots spipped outside the continental U. S. only at the customer's risk, spring to the cutting search spring search spri

### **BRUSSELS SPROUTS**

More delicate flavor than cabbage. The lowest "sprouts" on the plant should be picked each time, after which break off leaves below the "sprout." Do not remove the top leaves. Suitable for freezing. Light frosts seem to improve the flavor.

6271 Jade Cross F. Hybrid 80 days. All-America Winner, If you have had difficulty producing this member of the cabbage family, we urge you to try this new hybrid, as it is earlier, more productive, and more widely adapted than any variety heretofore listed. The rich blue-green, firm "sprouts" are packed in tight rows and are excellent for all purposes. The plants grow 22 in. tall.

Pkt. 75¢; ½ oz. \$7.50

6006 Long Island Improved 90 days. Round, dark green tightly folded, cabbage-like heads  $1 \frac{1}{2}$  to  $1 \frac{1}{2}$  in. across. 20 in. tall. Pkt. will produce about 250 plants; an oz. will produce 3,000 plants. Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.90

## CHICORY—Delicious, appetizing salad

5217 Witloof (French Endive) 110 days. Choice salad delicacy of mildly acrid flavor for use in the fall. The head-like cluster of well blanched leaves is 5 to 6 in. long, compact and somewhat resembles cos lettuce in appearance but much shorter. If wanted during the winter, chicory roots may be dug up and stored.

Pkt. 20¢; 1/2 oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢

### COLLARDS—One of the best boiling greens

5215 Georgia 80 days. Juicy, blue-green leaves. Will stand light freezing which improves the mild cabbage-like flavor. Non-heading. You may cook whole plants when young or strip off the tender rosette or loose cluster of leaves at top of plant. 2 to 3 ft. tall. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ½ lb. \$1.00

## CORN SALAD—Lamb's Lettuce

5219 Large Leaved Round 60 days. Leaves are served like lettuce but being of very mild flavor are better mixed with more piquant "greens." May be cooked like spinach or used for garnishing like parsley. Produces rosettes of large, rounded, gray-green tender leaves.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ 0z. 45¢; 0z. 80¢

CRESS—Easy, quick growing, mildly pungent "green"

5216 Fine Curled (Pepper Grass) 40 days. The finely cut, deep green leaves have a pleasing, pungent taste and are excellent for flavoring salads, garnishing, or as a "green" alone or with lettuce. May be used when just a lew inches tall; make further cuttings as needed. Pkt. 20¢; ½ cz. 35¢; oz. 60¢

5211 Water Cress 50 days. Small, oval, mildly pungent leaves for appetizing salads and garnishing. More palatable in cool weather. Adapted to a shallow stream of fresh water or springs. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 80¢; oz. \$1.40

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Beets are delicious when roots are half grown, or they may be used from then on until they reach full size. Tops are excellent when cooked as "greens." A pkt. of seed will sow 25 ft. of row; one oz. 100 ft.

### BEETS

#### 6193 Burpee's Red Ball O-A top notcher

60 days. Outstanding for its tasty, sweet flavored, dark red flesh, free from woody fiber, and under good growing conditions shows hardly any lighter colored zones. Its intense, deep red color, well retained when beets are cooked, especially fits it for table use. Roots are of uniform globe shape, growing to 3 in. in diameter, with smooth, deep red skin and medium-small tap-root. Erect, medium tall red and green tops. One of the best for table, canning and freezing.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 55¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.20; lb. \$3.50

6191 Crosby's Egyptian—Popular for early home use

56 days. Top to semi-globe shaped, 3 in. in diameter with medium size tops and slender tap-roots. Skin is smooth, medium dark red and the flesh purplish red, with lighter colored zones; tender, sweet and entirely free from fiber.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.65; lb. \$2.80

6185 Burpee's Extra Early O-Fine quality and flavor

58 days. Wonderful early, sweet and tender beet; valuable for canning or 58 days. Wonderful early, sweet and tender beet; valuable for canning or pickling, whole or sliced, perfectly smooth, globe-shaped roots growing to 3 in. but are best if used when small. The flesh is dark red with hardly any zones.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.20; lb. \$3.50

6196 Burpee White-Sweetest flavored beet; large, shiny tops

60 days. Flesh is white, tender, firm, crisp, and sweeter than any red table beet we have ever tasted. Roots are white, top-shaped to nearly round, with a fairly heavy tap-root. Occasionally the roots have a slight pink tint on the shoulders. This coloring is only on the skin, and does not run into the interior. Tops are large and vigorous, medium green and make excellent "greens." Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.75

#### 6233 Burpee Green Leaf-Sweet, tender flesh

The succulent leaves are prized as cooked "greens" 56 days. Splendid dual purpose, green top table beet. When ready to use tops are entirely green with no reddish tinge or red petioles. When ready to use tops are entirely green with no reddish tinge or red petioles. When cooked, the tops retain their appetizing green color. Roots vary from flattened globular to top-shaped; dark red skin and purplish red flesh with lighter zones; when cooked, the red diffuses the entire beet so the zoning practically disappears.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.60; ½ lb. \$2.75; lb. \$4.50

#### 6186 Burpee Redhart® O-Tender, sweet, uniform

56 days. An improved strain of Crosby's Egyptian selected for its uniform shape, evenness of maturity, smooth skin and dark red flesh. Roots are semiglobe to heart shaped with red skin and dark red flesh which cooks tender with no fiber and is of a sweet flavor. Preferred by many for its most delicious taste.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.60; ½ lb. \$2.75; lb. \$4.50

6203 Detroit Dark Red, Short Top O

60 days. Widely used round beet for main crop and fall use whether for table, canning or freezing. Tops average about 3 in. shorter than those of the regular strain—allow beets to stand closer together in the row. Roots are also slightly smaller and more globular. Skin is dark red; flesh is uniform deep-red, always sweet and tender, with zones so faint, when cooked, they are unnoticeable.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.65; lb. \$2.80

6192 Detroit Dark Red, Medium Top

59 days. Beets are perfectly round with deep red skin, very dark blood-red flesh showing hardly any zones; tender, fine grained and exceptionally sweet. They reach 2½ to 3 in. in size and have a small collar and a thin tap-root.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.65; lb. \$2.80

### 5122 Early Wonder—Valuable for all purposes

55 days. Gardeners like this very early beet; its smooth skin and uniform shape highly commend it for table use. Popular for canning whole or sliced as well as for pickling. Semi-globe-shaped, about 3 in. across, with medium size tops; dark red skin and deep red flesh with slightly lighter zones.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.65; lb. \$2.80

5123 Lutz Green Leaf O—Long season beet of quality

80 days. Whether used when small or allowed to grow large, they are tender, very sweet and will remain so all summer as well as when stored for use during the winter. Roots are half-long, top shaped, dark purplish red with dark red flesh and slightly lighter zones. The glossy green tops have a pink mid-rib and are popular for their delicious flavor when they are used as cooked "greens."

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.65; lb. \$2.80

5078 Ruby Queen-Good home garden beet

56 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Home gardeners favor this early round, dark red-skinned beet for the fresh and appetizing appearance provided by its deep crimson-red sweet, tender, tasty flesh. Tops are short, dark green turning to red. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.60; ½ lb. \$2.75; lb. \$4.50

Burpee Pays the Transportation on All Seeds, Bulbs and Roots in U.S.





#### 3 Choice Table Beets for Sweetness and Flavor Burpee's Red Ball, Burpee White and Burpee Redhart

6641 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these three distinct, delicious table varieties, a total value of 75¢ for only





Earliana Cabbage-Earliest of All

#### 5007 Marion Market O—Round (Yellows-Resistant)

75 days. Resembles Copenhagen Market Cabbage but makes a larger plant. Heads are almost round, solid, 6 1/2 to 7 in. deep, 8 in. across and weigh from 5½ to 7 lbs. each. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. 95¢; ¼ lb. \$2.75

### 5004 Early Jersey Wakefield

65 days. A quality early conical head cabbage, 7 in: deep, pointed at the top and having a broad base 5 in. across; weigh 2 to 3 lbs. each, tightly folded, crisp and tender.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

#### 5005 Early Jersey Wakefield—Pointed (Yellows-Resistant)

63 days. Heads are of conical form, 7 in. deep, pointed at Jersey Wakefield only on soils infested with "yellows."

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$2.75

## **Burpee's Earliest** CABBAGE

### 6272 Earliana O-First on the table

60 days. The earliest maturing cabbage we have ever grown. It is a small, deep, round Golden Acre type. Heads grow 4½ to 5 in. across, weigh 2 lbs. and more and are quite uniform in head size and maturity. The cores are short and heads compact and well folded. Attractive medium green color which is carried rather well into head. Recommended for earliest use, as it is of ideal size, shape, and color, for home use.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. 85¢; oz. \$1.50; ¼ lb. \$4.25

#### 6002 Burpee's Copenhagen Market O

72 days. Heavy yield, convenient size, attractive shape, solidity and fine quality make it the popular early cabbage it is today. Heads are well-rounded, solid, of excellent quality, 6½ in. in diameter and 6 in. deep, weighing from 4 to 4½ lbs. The flavor of the crisp, tender, white interiors is remarkably fine so it is desirable for early kraut.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.70

#### 6001 Golden Acre O-Round and solid

63 days. Has all the wonderful characteristics of our Copenhagen Market; the heads are a trifle smaller and mature 9 days earlier. They are very uniform, solid, round, 6 in. in diameter, and weigh 3½ to 4 lbs. each. In quality, they cannot be surpassed. Plants are small and compact Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

### 5003 Golden Acre (Yellows-Resistant)

64 days. Heads are of good quality, medium size, 5½ in. deep, 6 in. in diameter, and weigh 4 to 5 lbs. each. Plants are short-stemmed, erect, with few outer leaves. Uniform. Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.15; 1/4 lb. \$3.15

## EARLY AND SECOND EARLY CABBAGE

Burpee's Allhead Early Cabbage Earliest of all large cabbages.



## 5006 Burpee's Allhead Early ⊙\_Large

80 days. The earliest of all large cabbages, forming well-rounded, flattened heads which are remarkably solid throughout. Heads measure 8 to 9 in. across, 6 to 61/2 in. deep, and weigh 6 to 8 lbs. each. It is equally good for summer and for winter use. Excellent for early kraut. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

6018 Bonanza—Solid, small-headed cabbage

75 days. If you want a solid, small headed cabbage we strongly recomround, and perfectly uniform, yet will continue to grow and remain hard until maximum size which is about 6 ½ in. across and weigh 4 lbs.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

### 5203 O-S Cross—Giant (F1) Hybrid

88 days. All-America Winner. True, first generation (F1) hybrid remarkable for its exceptional uniformity in the size of the huge heads and maturity as well as hybrid vigor. Heads are large, solid, flat, 11 in. across, 61/2 in. deep, weigh 8 to 10 lbs. with a small to medium core. Plants are low growing and short stemmed with an erect habit.

Pkt. (200 seeds) 40¢; 2 pkts. 70¢; ½ oz. \$3.00; oz. \$5.25

5008 Stein's Flat Dutch-Always popular

83 days. Deservedly popular second-early with large, flat heads  $5\,\%$  to os days. Deserventy popular second-carry what large, has head 8/2 to 6 1/2 lbs., sometimes for in. deep, 8 to 9 in., in diameter and weigh 5 1/2 to 6 1/2 lbs., sometimes more. Good keeper; suitable for kraut. Outer leaves are gray-green.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

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## Late Fall or Winter CABBAGE

Keep well in storage

## 6012 Burpee's Surehead O

93 days. The special Burpee strain we offer is an improved one, uniform and a most desirable, large, late cabbage with a flattened head. Short stem, small frame, with heads weighing 7 to 10 lbs. each, 10 to 12 in. in diameter and 6 to 7 in. deep. Reliable winter keeper.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

#### 6008 Penn State Ballhead O

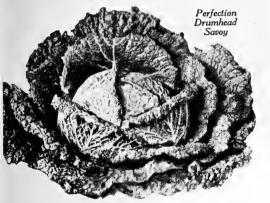
110 days, All-America Silver Medal Winner. Special strain of Danish Ballhead. Heads are almost globular, 6 to 7 in. deep, 7 to 8 in. across, extremely hard, weigh 6 to 7 lbs. each. It is a very uniform grower. We recommend it highly both for kraut and as an excellent winter keeper.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.70

## 5001 Burpee's Danish Roundhead 105 days. Excellent all-purpose fall or winter cabbage of

crisp texture with the same good qualities as Penn State Ballhead, but is shorter stemmed. Heads are round, 7 to 8 in. across and weigh 5 to 7 lbs. A good winter keeper.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.60





Burpee's Surehead Cabbage

Cabbage is easily grown and may be eaten raw as cole slaw or cooked in different ways. While the smooth leaved varieties are the most popular, some prefer the green savoy crumpled leaved (Perfection Drumhead); others, the deep crumpied leaved (Penection Drumnead); others, the deep purplish red (Mammoth Red Rock); some, the round heads (Copenhagen Market); others, the Pointed (Early Jersey Wakefield) or flat (Premium Flat Dutch). We have the best kinds to meet your choice. Some of the midseason and late varieties make excellent kraut; all the late varieties are desirable for fall use and winter storing.

A pkt. of seed will produce about 125 plants; oz. about 3000 plants. Days to maturity represent the average time required from setting the plants in the garden until cabbage is ready to use.

#### 5002 Premium Flat Dutch

100 days. Well known for its extra large, flat, solid heads of high quality. Will grow 10 to 13 in. across, 5½ to 7 in. deep and weigh 10 lbs. and more. Valuable for late fall and winter use as the large heads have good keeping qualities.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.30

## 5192 Wisconsin Hollander (Yellows-Resistant)

Michihli Chinese Cabbage

105 days. Selected for resistance to "yellows" and is recommended for use only on "yellows" intested land. Heads are bluish green, large, round, flattened on top but quite deep, 7 to 8 in. across, weigh 6 to 8 lbs. each. Good keeper.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. 95¢; ¼ lb. \$2.75

SAVOY CABBAGE

6017 Perfection Drumhead 90 days. More pleasing flavor than regular cabbage; the head is greener and it retains its color when cooked. Quality is excellent. The large round heads are somewhat flattened, 9 to 10 in. across, 7 to 8 in. deep and weigh 6 to 7 lbs. each. Inner leaves arranged loosely. Best of the savoyed cabbages.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. 95¢; ¼ lb. \$2.60

### RED CABBAGE

5195 Mammoth Red Rock 100 days. Used extensively for boiling and pickling. The tight, deep purplish-red heads are of excellent flavor, round, flattened on top, solid as a rock, often weigh 6 to 8 lbs. each. Store well as they have good beening qualities A sure cropper.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. 95¢; ¼ lb. \$2.70 keeping qualities. A sure cropper.

## CHINESE or CELERY CABBAGE

5236 Michihli 70 days. Tender, crisp and sweet with an agreeably spicy flavor. Boiled, it is far more palatable than ordinary cabbage; resembles Cos Lettuce somewhat. Where summers are cool, seed may be sown in early spring, otherwise sowings should be made about 3 months before first expected frost. If sown too early, plants will "bolt" in hot weather and not form heads. A pkt. of seed will sow 25 ft. of row, an oz. 200 ft. of row. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.30

Michihli Chinese Cabbage is delicious served like lettuce or cooked like cabbage





### CARROTS, continued

#### 5013 Burpee's Oxheart—Does particularly well in heavy soil

75 days. Being of short, chunky shape, they provide a large amount of edible flesh which is light orange, especially tender, sweet and of delicious flavor if used when young. Their shape nght orange, especially chiefer, where and of the do well in shallow or heavy soils where longer carrots, which require deep, mellow soil, often fail to develop properly. The broad, stocky, heart-shaped roots will grow 4 to 4½ in. long and 3 to 3½ in. across where they are thickest.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$1.95



#### 6243 Gold Pak-All-America Winner

76 days. Rich orange, smooth skinned, slender, streamlined carrot, 8 to 9 in. long,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. across the shoulder, nicely tapered, with sweet, tender orange flesh. Valunicely tapered, with sweet, tender orange nesh. Valuable for table, freezing and canning. Because of its length, requires deeply worked soil to produce best roots. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢; ¼ lb. \$2.15

#### Carrots

Sow seed thinly in early spring in rows not less than 12 in apart and make additional sowings when the preceding planting is up and growing. Cover the seed with  $\frac{1}{2}$  in, of fine soil. Thin the small early varieties to stand 2 in, apart in the row and the larger, later varieties from 2 to 3 in. A rich, mellow, deeply worked soil gives the finest carrots. The later sowings will produce nice, tender carrots in the fall.

There are varied sizes and shapes of carrots to suit your purposes and soil; Burpee's Oxheart with its stocky, heart-shaped roots especially suited for shallow or heavy soil to Imperator for deep mellow soils—the popular medium length carrot for all general purposes is Goldinhart. A pkt, of seed will sow about 30 ft. of row; an oz. of seed will sow about 200 ft.

### 3 Excellent All-Purpose Carrots

Burpee's Goldinhart, Nantes Half Long and Gold Pak

6635-SPECIAL: One pkt. of each variety, value 70¢ for only 55¢

6631-SPECIAL: 1/2 oz. of each variety, value \$1.30 for only \$1.00



Gold Pak

### CAULIFLOWER

Use cauliflower as soon as heads fill out, otherwise they will lose in quality and break. Uncooked cauliflower is delicious, when head is broken up into small pieces, chilled and used as a relish with mayonnaise. Cooked cauliflower is a most delectable dish. Cauliflower is best grown as a fall crop in the greater part of the U.S.A. A pkt. of seed will produce about 150 plants; 1 oz. 4000. Days to maturity given in descriptions are from the time the plants are set out in the garden. These are average and will vary somewhat in different seasons and sections.

### 6026 Burpeeana O—Superior quality

58 days. Exceptionally choice extra early strain of Super Snowball as offered by Burpee. Beautiful, well-rounded, compact, pure white heads with smooth curds of superb quality well protected by many long jacket leaves. Most valuable cauliflower for the home gardener; excellent for freezing. Burpeeana is dependable and exceptionally uniform. The upright plants are vigorous growing and sturdy.

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 70¢; ¼ oz. \$1.60;
½ oz. \$3.00; oz. \$5.25

### 6027 Early Snowball—A

60 days. Heads are firm, deep globular in shape, white in color, and of excellent quality. It is widely used because heads can be cut in a relatively short time. Plants small to medium in size. Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 70¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40; ½ oz. \$2.50; oz. \$3.65

### 5205 Burpee's Dry Weather

95 days. Drought-resistant and will produce heads when other varieties are a complete failure due to lack of moisture. It produces large, white heads of quality that weigh 2 to 3 lbs. each.

Pkt. 30¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.90; oz. \$3.25

Your money back if not completely satisfied

### 5018 Improved Super Snowball

60 days. In sections where the Super Snowball type of cauliflower is preferred, or matures to best advantage, growers should try this strain. Plants are uniform and set a crop of pure white, smooth heads noted for their tight curds and fine flavor. Desirable for freezing.

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 70¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40; ½ oz. \$2.50; oz. \$3.65

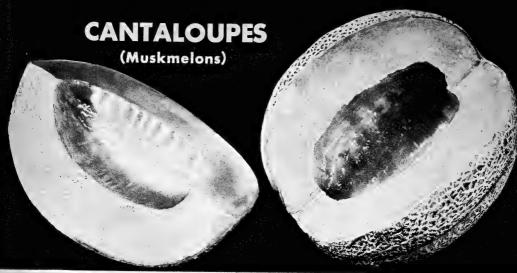
### 5186 Purple Head—Green when cooked

80 to 85 days. Flavor is somewhat like that of broccoli, but milder and because of its delicacy and superior quality is preferred by many to white cauliflower or broccoli. Heads are quite large, deep purple on top. Easier to grow than white cauliflower; no need to fold leaves and tie over head to blanch. Good for freezing.

Pkt. 35¢; ¼ oz. \$1.35; ½ oz. \$2.50; oz. \$4.90







Burpee Hybrid. Home garden quality-taste sensation

### 6137 Burpee Hybrid O-Tops

82 days. (Orange Flesh) Burpee Hybrid Cantaloupe is a true, first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid, noted for quality and flavor. Fruits are heavily netted, ribbed, round to slightly oval, 7 in. long, 6 in. across and weigh 4 to 4½ lbs. each. Customers, in some sections of the country, have written us that they have grown much larger fruits of the Burpee Hybrid cantaloupe. The sizes we give are average; we, too, have grown much bigger melons. Regardless of their size, quality is unsurpassed. Flesh is deep orange, thick, firm, juicy, sweet and of the most delicious flavor of any cantaloupe.

Pkt. (40 seeds) 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.40;

3 pkts. \$1.95; 1/4 oz. \$2.50

### 6062 Burpee's Netted Gem

85 days. (Green Flesh) So sweet and luscious that the green flesh may be eaten close to the rind. Fruits are oval-shaped, firm and solid, weigh 11/2 to 2 lbs., slightly ribbed, green skin turning to gray when ripe with a silvery netting. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.55

#### 6242 Pennsweet—One of the sweetest

83 days. (Salmon-orange Flesh) All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Thick, juicy, very sweet, salmon-orange flesh with small seed cavity. Dependable early melon of medium size, sman seed cavey. Dependance carry metors of measurements of in. long, 4 in. in diameter, slightly oval, distinctly ridged, weigh 1½ to 2 lbs. each, with light to dense netting.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ¼ lb. \$1.70

#### 5037 Pride of Wisconsin—Firm flesh

92 days. (Orange Flesh) A melon which has very good quality, large size, firm, thick orange flesh of excellent flavor and edible to the rind. Fruits are nearly round, 6 ½ to 7 in., heavily netted, and weigh 4 to 5 lbs.; rind is blue-gray, turning to a golden color when it is ripe. Small seed cavity. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.55

#### Cantaloupes

To really enjoy a cantaloupe, fruits should be allowed to fully ripen on the vine for, with the exception of Honey Dew, they do not become sweeter in flavor after being picked. Fruits are ripe when the stem, attached to the melon, will slip from it with a slight touch of the thumb. If the stem does only slip off easily, the melon is not ripe and should remain on the vine. Many persons can select ripe melons by their aroma. A pkt. of seed (except Burpee Hybrid) will plant 12 groups, 1 oz. 120 groups or so-called "hills."

#### 6762 Extra Saving

One pkt. each of Burpee Hybrid Cantaloupe and Burpee's Fordhook Hybrid Watermelon \$1.25 for only

#### 5079 Delicious 51 - Truly delicious flavor

86 days. (Orange Flesh) Sweet, bright orange flesh of a good rich flavor. Resistant to fusarium wilt. Melons 6 to 6½ in. in diameter and 6½ to 7 in. long; prominently ribbed and closely netted. Fruits weigh about 5 lbs. each.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ¼ lb. \$1.70

### 6066 Hale's Best, Improved 36

85 days (Salmon-orange Flesh) Very thick, firm, finely grained, salmon-orange flesh, sweet and spicy. Keeps its quality for a long time. Fruits round-oval in shape, weigh 3 to 4 lbs. each, grow 6 in. long, 5½ in. across with small seed cavity. The heavy netting is uniformly distributed.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.55

#### 6061 Hearts of Gold O-Very sweet

90 days. (Orange Flesh) Thick deep orange flesh of the sweetest flavor. Medium-size melons are of slightly elongated shape, 5 in. in diameter and 6 in. in length, nicely netted and weigh 3 lbs. each. A heavy cropper. Excellent.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.55

#### 6063 Honey Rock - Special strain

85 days. (Salmon Flesh) All-America Gold Medal Winner. Also called Sugar Rock. The thick, deeply colored salmon flesh is deliciously sweet, with a fine, smooth texture. Fruits are medium size with gray-green skin and heavy, coarse netting; almost round, 5½ in. in diameter, and weigh about 3 lbs. each. Productive, early; firm rind. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.55

## MELONS

#### BEST MELONS FOR WARM CLIMATES

Grown extensively in California for home use, local market and distant shipping. They are late maturing so need a long season to produce their crop of delicious melons.

5247 Golden Beauty Casaba 120 days. (White Flesh) 8 in. across, golden yellow, tough, wrinkled skin; yery thick, white, juicy, sweet flesh. Will keep in good condition for several months.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 70¢; ¾ lb. \$2.10

5246 Honey Dew 110 days. (Green Flesh) Broad-oval melons 7 to 8 in. long, 6 in. across, with smooth, ivory-colored skin and very sweet, julicy, pale emerada green flesh. Good keeper. Pkt. 20¢; ου. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.55

### YELLOW SWEET CORN—Standard varieties

#### 6205 Burpee's Golden Bantam O-Known to all

80 days. Burpee's Golden Bantam is deservedly America's favorite sweet corn. The ears are slender, 51/2 to 61/2 in. long, with 8 and only 8 rows of even, broad, moderately deep, golden kernels of the most delicious flavor. If you want a larger ear, an earlier corn, a more productive one, we have varieties for your needs, but if you want the best and sweetest for your table, it's true 8-rowed Golden Bantam. It is the most popular early corn with the home gardener and is highly prized for quick freezing on the cob. Plants grow 5 to 6½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.25

#### 6206 Golden Midget-Smallest, yellow ears; very early

65 days. Ears 4 to 4 1/2 in. long, 11/4 in. thick with 8 rows of medium-yellow kernels that are sweet and tender. Dwarf plants 2 to 3 ft. tall. Especially recommended for gardens where seasons are short. The size of the ears make it ideally suited to freezing.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.00; lb. \$1.85

#### 5154 Golden Sunshine—Early, large-eared; sweet, tender

74 days. Ears 7 in. long, closely set with 10 or 12 rows of attractive golden yellow kernels. Stalks grow 4½ to 5 ft. high, many of them carrying two ears. It is excellent for the home gardener, especially in sections with cool summers and a short season.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.25

### 5133 The Burpee O -Larger and earlier than Golden Bantam

75 days. Full of sweetness and with the same mouth-watering, buttery flavor that has given world fame to Burpee's Golden Bantam. Big attractive ear, 6 to 7 in. long, closely set with 12 rows of large, broad, deep, rich golden yellow kernels. Gardeners everywhere praise it highly; its earliness, large size, heavy yield and superior quality have made it a general favorite; suitable for freezing. The stalks grow 5 to 6 ½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 60¢; lb. \$1.10; 2 lbs. \$2.10; 5 lbs. \$4.75

### WHITE SWEET CORN—Standard varieties

### 5153 Burpee's White Evergreen O-Productive

90 days. 16 to 20 rows of closely set pearly white grains of luscious flavor which is retained much longer than most other varieties of corn. Ears 8 to 9 in. long; the kernels retain their paper whiteness and flavor even when canned. The stalks grow to a height of 7 to 8 ft. tall. It is a splendid white, heavy yielding main-crop corn that is earlier and has larger ears than Stowell's Evergreen.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.25

#### 5155 Country Gentleman—Popularly known as Shoe Peg

92 days. Lusciously sweet, pure white, slender kernels with tender skin thickly fill the 7 to 8 in. ears in irregular arrangement (not in rows). It is familiarly known as Shoe Peg because of the appearance of the dry grains which are thin and narrow. The strong stalks grow 7 ft. tall and often produce two ears each. Country Gentleman is a general productive midseason favorite corn for the home garden, canning and freezing.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.25

### 5152 Stowell's Evergreen—Good old white kerneled standby

95 days. Holds its remarkable sweetness for quite a long time. Ears 7  $\frac{1}{2}$  to 8  $\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, with 16 to 20 rows of clear white, sweet, tender, meaty and juicy kernels of exceptional quality. It is valuable for home gardens and canning. Stalks 7 to 8 ft. tall.

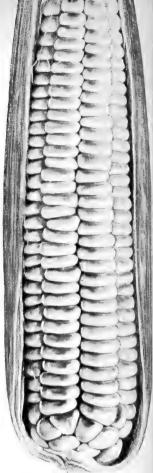
Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.25

#### 5126 White Midget - Takes up little garden space; early maturing

74 days. Ears 41/2 to 6 in. long, with 8 rows of white, sweet, tender, delicately flavored 74 days. Ears 4½ to 6 in. long, with 8 rows of white, sweet, tender, deficately havored kernels. The dwarf plants grow only 2½ to 3 ft. tall. Especially recommended where the growing season is short and it does well in southern California.

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 70¢; ½ lb. \$1.10; lb. \$1.95

SWEET CORN loses its sweet flavor rapidly after picking. To enjoy it at its best, it should be home grown and eaten as soon as possible after ears are pulled. Take husks off promptly and if necessary to keep corn for a short time put the husked ears in transparent bags and keep at a 40 to 50° temperature until ready to use. Whether you grow yellow or white grained corn is a matter of preference as is the selection of hybrids or open pollinated, the so-called standard varieties. It is not advisable to save seed from plantings of any hybrids because there will be a reduction in yield the next year. A pkt. of seed will plant 4 rows, each about 25 ft. in length; 1 lb. will plant 300 groups or "hills."



Burpee's Golden Bantam Sweet Corn

Country Gentleman, crowded irregular formation of kernels





### HYBRID YELLOW SWEET CORN

### 6263 Burpee's Honeycross O-Sweet as honey

87 days. A new top quality, high yielding, wilt resistant hybrid, producing ears 8 to 9 in. long with 16 or more rows of bright yellow, deep kernels of the finest flavor. The ears are well filled, right to the tip, and are protected from ear worm and smut damage by tight husks. We highly recommend Honeycross to follow midseason varieties. Because of extra seedling vigor, this hybrid will produce better stands over a wide range of soil conditions. Pkt. 35¢; ½ lb. 65¢; lb. \$1.25; 2 lbs. \$2.25; 5 lbs. \$5.00

#### 6201 Aristogold Bantam Evergreen

89 days. Ears grow 8 to 9 in. long with 16 or 18 rows of exceptionally deep, juicy, golden yellow kernels of good flavor and tenderness. Husks are tight, resisting ear worms and smut. Plants are sturdy, vigorous, average 8 ½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 70¢; lb. \$1.25; 2 lbs. \$2.10; 5 lbs. \$4.95

#### **6241 Barbecue**—The best "on-the-cob" freezing corn

75 days. Tender, sweet, of excellent quality and flavor. Ears are slender, cylindrical, 8 to 9 in. long, filled with 10 to 14 rows of rich golden kernels. Husks are smooth, dark green and cover the ears tightly. We highly recommend Barbecue as a large eared second-early hybrid variety. Stalks 5 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 60¢; lb. \$1.05; 2 lbs. \$2.00; 5 lbs. \$4.75

#### 5143 Burpee's Surecross O—Creamy yellow

88 days. High yielding, main-crop hybrid for fresh use, freezing and canning. Top notcher for flavor and tenderness. Ears are thick, 81/2 in. long, with 14 or 16 rows of delicious creamy yellow, deep kernels. Stalks 7 to 71/2 ft. in height, usually bear two ears each, the ears held at a good angle for easy harvest.

Pkt. 30¢; ½ lb. 75¢; lb. \$1.35; 2 lbs. \$2.30; 5 lbs. \$5.50

#### 5156 Carmelcross—Heavy yielding, second-early

80 days. Blocky ears, slightly tapered at tip, 71/2 in. long, well filled with 10 to 14 rows of delicious yellow kernels of medium breadth and depth. Popular, especially in northeastern states, southern Illinois and similar areas. 5 to 6 ft. Pkt. 20¢; 1/2 lb. 55¢; lb. 95¢; 2 lbs. \$1.80; 5 lbs. \$4.25

### 6235 Golden Beauty O—All-America Silver Medal Winner

73 days. Especially valuable in short season localities. Earliness combined with quality makes this high yielder a leading choice with gardeners everywhere. Ears 6 to 7½ in. long with 12 or 14 rows of delicious golden yellow, sweet, tender kernels of medium depth and excellent flavor. 4½ to 5½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

#### 6213 Golden Cross Bantam O—Most widely used

85 days. The standard hybrid for quality by which all others are judged and the most widely used of all the hybrids for canning, freezing and the home garden. Usually two ears, 7½ to 8½ in. long, each with 10 to 14 rows of sweet, light golden yellow kernels, are produced to a stalk 6 to 7 ft. high. This variety is quite uniform in both its maturity and ear characteristics.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

87 days. Becoming increasingly popular in many sections for the home garden whether used fresh or for freezing and canning. Highly resistant to drought, wilt and ear worms. Ears 7 1/2 to 8 in, long, uniform and cylindrical, well filled with 12 to 16 rows of delicious, deep, medium-narrow, light yellow kernels.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

#### 5142 lochief-All-America Gold Medal Winner

5145 Ioana O -All-America Bronze Medal Winner

89 days. Valuable for all purposes. Drought resistant. Ears 9 to 10 in. long with 14 to 18 rows of exceptionally deep, uniform, golden yellow kernels of superior flavor. 6½ ft. stalks usually produce two long ears each. Outstanding quality.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

#### 5144 Marcross —Leading second-early yellow hybrid

75 days. A most productive, large, uniform, second-early home garden hybrid of quality. Suitable for freezing. The ears are 6 ½ to 8 in. long, with 12 or 14 rows of large, sweet, light cream-yellow, medium-broad kernels. Short but sturdy stalks 5 to 5½ ft. high, highly resistant to bacterial wilt.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

### 6211 Spancross—Earliest yellow hybrid corn we offer

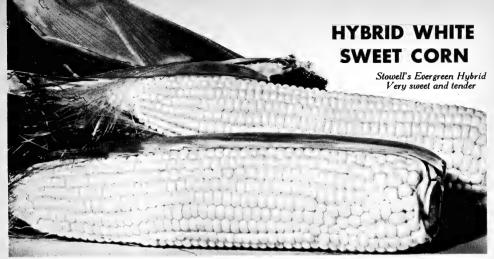
71 days. All-America Winner. Popular first early hybrid. Ears are 61/2 in. long, 134 in. in diameter, slightly tapering, well filled to the tip with 10 or 12 rows of golden yellow, sweet kernels, with the ear set low on the 4 to 5 ft. stalk.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

### 3 Choice Yellow **Hybrid Sweet Corns**

Produce a continuous supply Spancross, Marcross, and Burpee's Honeycross 6701—SPECIAL: One pkt. 70¢ each, value 85¢ for 70¢

-SPECIAL: 1/2 lb. \$1.50 each, value \$1.75 for \$1.50



### 6212 Stowell's Evergreen Hybrid®

90 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Differs from the standard Stowell's Evergreen in having deeper kernels and greater uniformity of maturity. It also has the advantage of having more vigor and higher productivity. Ears  $7\frac{1}{2}$  to  $8\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, slightly tapered, with 14 to 18 rows of deep, tender, very sweet, white kernels. Recommended for eating fresh, freezing and canning. 8 to 10 ft. stalks. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

#### 6265 White Cross Bantam—Popular 1959 introduction

84 days. An early maturing white hybrid with 12 or 14 row ears, averaging slightly over 8 inches long and well filled to the tip with tender, sweet kernels of the most delicious flavor. You will like its high quality, and excellent flavor whether for fresh use or canning. Good husk coverage affords protection to the tip of the ear. Moderately resistant to bacterial wilt.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ lb. 65¢; lb. \$1.10; 2 lbs. \$2.10; 5 lbs. \$5.00

5141 Burpee's Snowcross-Our earliest white hybrid

83 days. An exceptionally tender, white hybrid sweet corn of delicious flavor that meets the need of an early midseason variety of quality. Ears average 8 in. in length, taper toward tip, with 12 or 14 rows of clear white, deep kernels of good quality for canning or fresh use. Plants are deep green, single stalked, 6 to 7 ft. in height and bear one or two ears each.

Pkt. 30¢; ½ lb. 60¢; lb. \$1.10; 2 lbs. \$2.10; 5 lbs. \$4.95

#### 6262 Country Gentleman Hybrid-Shoe Peg

92 days. The ears are 71/2 in. long, thick and covered with tender, deliy2 days. The ears are 1/2 lift long, thick aim to voted with tender, directiously sweet, white kernels that are deep, narrow and non-rowing. The strong stalks which grow 7 to 7½ ft. high, frequently bear two ears. It has all the outstanding merits of Country Gentleman, plus hybrid vigor.

Pkt. 30¢; ½ lb. 75¢; lb. \$1.35; 2 lbs. \$2.30; 5 lbs. \$5.50 Hybrid Corns, white and yellow, are noted for their high yield and resistance to Stewart's disease or bacterial wilt. The ears from one planting mature at about the same time which makes them especially desirable for canning and freezing. If you prefer to have ears over a long period, plant two or more hybrids of different maturity dates.

#### 5135 Silver Cross Bantam

85 days. Outstanding white-kerneled companion to Golden Cross Bantam with slightly taller and more single stalks; ears are somewhat larger and more tender; 8 to 9 in. long with 12 or 14 rows of broad, glistening, pure white kernels of the most delicious flavor. Pkt. 30¢; ½ lb. 70¢; lb. \$1.25; 2 lbs. \$2.40; 5 lbs. \$5.75

#### 3 White Hybrid Sweet Corns For A Continuous Crop

Silver Cross Bantam Stowell's Evergreen Hybrid **Country Gentleman Hybrid** 

6632-SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 3 varieties, value 85¢ for only

6691-SPECIAL: 1/2 lb. each of the 3 varieties, value \$2.00 for only \$1.75

6695—SPECIAL: 1 lb. each of the 3 varieties, value \$3.60 for only \$3.20

70¢

**POP CORN** A pkt. of seed will plant 75 ft. of row; 6 to 8 lbs. are required to plant one acre.

#### 5187 Burpee's Peppy Pop Corn Hybrid ⊙

90 days. An extra high yielding hybrid with outstanding popping and taste qualities, 90 days. An extra ngn yieiding nyorid with outstanding popping and taste quanties, bearing two or three 4 in. ears on a stalk. The white kernels are deep, pointed an hulless. When popped, the white balls are round, much larger than those of Japanese Hulless, tasty, tender and fiberless. Stalks grow 5 to 6 it. high. An early variety, Peppy Pop Corn is especially valuable to northern areas where summers are short.

Pkt. 30¢; ½ th. 55¢; lb. \$1.20; 2 lbs. \$2.20; 5 lbs. \$3.25.

#### 5163 Hybrid South American Mushroom O

105 days. Ears 6 to 8 in. long with 14 or 16 rows of orange-vellow kernels, somewhat rounded, with popping expansion of 28 to 30 volumes. Stalks grow 6 to 7 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 65¢; lb. \$1.20; 2 lbs. \$2.20; 5 lbs. \$5.25

#### 5166 Japanese Hulless-Also known as Baby Rice

95 days. Ears 2½ to 4¾ in. long, well filled with deep, narrow white kernels which pop snowy white and are free from hulls or shells. The stalks grow 6 to 7 ft. tall.

Pkt. 20f; ½ lb. 45f; lb. 75f; 2 lbs. \$1.30; 5 lbs. \$2.75

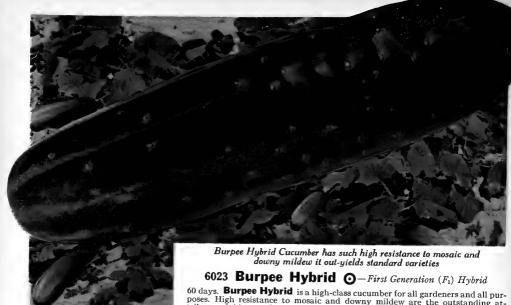
#### 5161 Minhybrid—Especially valuable for the North

90 days. Early, hybrid hulless, with kernels which when popped are quite large. Kernels deep pointed, with thin skin; plump, blunt ears 3 to 4 in. long. 5 to 6 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 65¢; lb. \$1.20; 2 lbs. \$2.20; 5 lbs. \$5.25



Burpee's Peppy Pop Corn Hybrid



### **CUCUMBERS**

Cucumbers may be harvested at almost any age depending on what purpose the fruits are intended. Different sizes may be picked at the same time, small ones for sweet pickles, larger ones for bread and butter pickles, slicing or dill pickles. Many gardeners prefer to plant the larger fruited varieties for table use and the pickling types and gherkins for relishes or pickles.

Cucumbers, sliced unpeeled, make for a more attractive salad and it has been said that if you eat them with the skin on you may not be troubled with that aftertaste which some persons experience.

A pkt. of seed will plant 15 groups; 1 oz. 50 groups or so-called "hills." Seeds may also be sown in rows 4 to 5 ft. apart, 4 to 6 in. apart in the row; later thin the plants to stand 12 in. apart in the row.

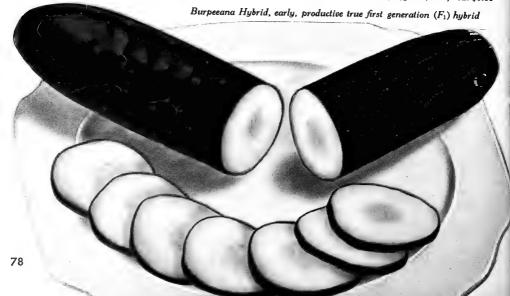
60 days. Burpee Hybrid is a high-class cucumber for all gardeners and all purposes. High resistance to mosaic and downy mildew are the outstanding attributes of this true, first generation (Fi) hybrid, white spine, slicing type cucumber. In addition, the yielding ability of the hybrid has been greatly increased over the standard varieties. The vines are extremely vigorous, long lived and bear an abundance of well formed, straight, dark green fruits of handsome appearance. They will grow 8 in. and more long, 2½ in. wide, square at both ends with medium seed cavity and crispy, white flesh of excellent quality.

Burpee Hybrid is one variety that should be planted early—as soon as possible after the soil is thoroughly warm. And, don't think you have to give up growing cucumbers if your garden is very small. Cucumbers are natural climbers and may be grown on a fence or trellis.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50; ½ oz. \$2.75; oz. \$4.75

### 6274 Burpeeana Hybrid ⊙-Early (F₁) Hybrid

58 days. A true first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid that is sharing the popularity of Burpee Hybrid Cucumber. It is vigorous, productive, early maturing—a few days earlier than Burpee Hybrid—and continues production over a long period. The fruits are 8 to 9 in. long, 2½ in. wide; cylindrically shaped, with rounded ends, straight and of very even size. Very dark green, with none of the speckling found in other hybrids now on the market. Pkt. (30 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½ oz. \$2.25; ½ oz. \$3.75; oz. \$6.00



### **CUCUMBERS**—Standard Varieties

Don't forget to plant dill seed. The dry or green branches and the dried seeds are prized for flavoring pickles. Dill is listed with other popular herbs on page 83. Burpee's Sunnybrook

## 6025 Burpee's Sunnybrook ® O-Our extra dark streamliner for all purposes

60 days. Whether used for pickling when small, or for slicing when fully grown, Burpee's Sunnybrook is a valuable cucumber. It is of the long, slender, dark green, white spine type with stripes absent or inconspicuous for considerably less than 1/4 its length. Fruits grow 9 to 11 in. in length and 2 to 21/2 in. in diameter when mature, tapering symmetrically toward either end; flesh is firm and thick; with only a few seeds which form late in the season so that the fruits are edible over a long period. Holds its dark green color for a long time after picking.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.35; ½ lb. \$2.40; lb. \$4.25

#### Three Top Quality Slicing and Pickling Cucumbers

Burpee Hybrid, Black Diamond. and Burpee Pickler

6741 - SPECIAL: One pkt. of each variety, 3 pkts, in all, value 85¢ for only

#### 6251 Smoothie-Well formed; dark green

66 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. The attractive fruits are very dark green, white spined, about 8 in long, and cylindrical with slight tapering at the stem end. The flesh is crisp and white, tinged with green just under the skin, making it very attractive for salad use.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.35;
½ lb. \$2.40; lb. \$4.25

### 5014 Burpee's Extra Early White Spine -Early and prolific

55 days. Excellent for slicing when fully grown or for pickling when small. Fruits are almost cylindrical, 7 in. long and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. thick with a beautiful deep green skin which is practically free from ridges.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢;

1/4 lb. \$1.25; 1/2 lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

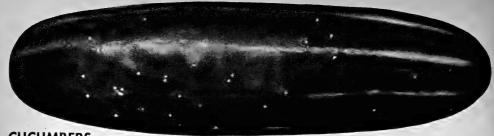
### 5015 Black Diamond O-White spine

54 days. "It Stays Green." Fruits grow 6 1/2 to 7 1/2 in. long. 34 days. "It Stays Green." Fruits grow 0 ½ to 7 ½ in. long, 2 ½ to 2¾ in. across, straight, blunt ended and have a very deep green skin, the color of which is retained long after picking. The flesh is pure white, refreshing, tasty and of the finest quality. Widely used for the home garden.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

Black Diamond "It Stays Green"





CUCUMBERS, continued

Straight Eight

#### 5029 Marketer O - All-America Winner

65 days. An extra fancy white-spined cucumber that grows 8 in. long, 2½ in. across, slender, smooth, slightly tapered to each end, dark green skin and crispy flesh.

Pkt. 20¢; to each end, dark green skin and crispy flesh.

oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

### 5025 Improved Long Green

60 days. Popular for ripe (yellow) cucumber pickles or slicing. Black-spined fruits 10 to 12 in. long, 3 in. thick, and more or less warted; glossy medium dark green skin and pure white, solid, tender, crisp flesh. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.35; ½ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$3.75

#### 6033 Straight Eight O-Well named

58 days. All-America Gold Medal Winner. Favorite white spine cucumber of the highest quality. Its even, deep color and symmetrical shape are outstanding characteristics; in fact it greatly resembles the large, handsome, hothouse cucumbers offered at high prices in all the better markets. At best table size, fruits are 8 in. long and 21/2 in. in diameter, well rounded at the ends, dark green in color, with practically no striping at the blossom end. Valuable white spine cucumber with a very descriptive name. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

West India Gherkin

### PICKLING CUCUMBERS

May also be used for slicing, except Gherkin

6254 Burpee Pickler © 53 days. Vines are vigorous with a high degree of tolerance to cucumber mosaic and therefore yield over a longer period. Burpee Pickler is an F<sub>2</sub> black-spined pickling cucumber of early maturity; produces a very heavy yield of blocky, attractively warted fruits which can be used in all stages from small sweets to large dills. The medium green fruits have blocky shoulders and blunt tips with a larget to disorder with a conveniently of the Pickler. with a length to diameter ratio of approximately 3 to 1. Flesh is thick, firm and of excellent quality. Developed on Burpee's famous Fordhook Seed Farms. d Farms. Pkt. 30¢; oz. 55¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.50; 1/2 lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00

**Explanation of White** Spine and Black Spine

Cucumbers are divided into two families, "White Spine" and "Black Spine." The spines are the miniature stickers that protrude from the warts when fruits are young. White spine cucumbers turn to a creamy white when old; black spine varieties turn to old; black spine varieties turn to a yellowish orange when ma-tured. Pickling cucumbers are black-spined; all others, with the exception of Improved Long Green, are white-spined.

5012 Chicago Pickling 58 days. Enormously productive; disease resistant and a vigorous grower. The fruits are of even size, 6 to 7 in. long, 2½ in. thick, square-ended, rich dark green skin warted and ribbed at pickle size; moderately few warts when larger. Popular for years with leading pickle houses.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

5214 Everbearing 52 days. If the fruits are kept picked regularly, the plants will continue to bear over a longer season than many varieties. When fully grown, the fruits are 5 in. long and 2 in. thick; rich medium green. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

6037 Fordhook Pickling 56 days. Makes firm slicing or tasty dill and mustard pickles. Fruits taper at both ends and have the warts and knobs so much desired in pickles. When fully grown, the cucumbers are 8 in. long and 3 in. thick with crisp, solid flesh. Largest in common use.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.35; ½ lb. \$2.45; lb. \$4.25

5225 Heinz Pickling 56 days. A heavy yielder of crisp fleshed fruits. When small, they are of ideal pickling shape and dark green. If left to grow for slicing, they measure 5 ½ to 6 ½ in. long and 2½ to 3 in. thick.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

5024 National Pickling © 55 days. Can be used for pickles from small sweets to large dills or sours. Do not split. Rich dark green, 6 to 7 in. long and 2 in. thick, straight, rather blunt at each end, but not chunky.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

6261 Ohio MR 17 (Mosaic Resistant) 57 days. Fully grown dark green fruits of this mosaic resistant pickler are about 7 in. long and 2 in. in diameter. Good size and shape for use all the way from small sweet pickles to large dills. High yielding, vigorous vines.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

5224 West India Gherkin 60 days. Used extensively for very small pickles or relish; they have a splendid flavor. Different from all other types of cucumbers. Vines produce an astonishingly large crop of small, burr-like fruits, 2 to 3 in. long and 1 to 1½ in. thick. The bright green skin is covered with fleshy prickles.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

5017 Yorkstate Pickling 55 days. Ideal for both small and dill pickles. Possesses all the good qualities of National Pickling and, in addition, is highly resistant to mosaic. Vines are vigorous, prolific; fruits are dark green, well shaped, blunt ended with prominent black spines.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$3.75



### CELERY

Celery is a popular vegetable served raw as a relish or cooked in different ways. May be used from the time plants are one-half or two-thirds grown until fully matured. Stalks may be blanched to make them more crisp and tender, although many persons prefer them unblanched, especially Burpee's Fordhook and Giant Pascal. Both are famous green celeries.

A pkt. of seed will produce about 400 strong plants; 1 oz. about 7500 plants. Days to maturity are from the time the plants are set out in the garden. Some variation may be expected.

### 6022 Burpee's Fordhook O

The finest flavored green celery

130 days. The best and finest flavored fall and winter green celery. Plants are stocky, compact, 15 to 18 in. tall. The stalks, after blanching, are a beautiful pure silvery white, with a large, tightly folded full heart of the most delicious flavor. Always tender, crisp, without strings, and juicy. Burpee's Fordhook is ideal for fall use and winter storage.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.85; ¼ lb. \$5.50

#### 5204 Burpee's Golden Self-Blanching

115 days. The stalks and heart are both tender, solid, free from strings and of the most delicious nutty, crisp and juicy flavor. Plants make a compact growth and form thick, ribbed stalks which blanch easily to a beautiful clear waxen yellow. A widely grown, early, yellow celery.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 80¢; oz. \$1.45

#### 6028 Giant Pascal-Good keeper

Well known for its unexcelled table quality

135 days. Stalks are tall, thick, solid, broad, distinctly ribbed, stringless, tender, crisp, very tasty and of a rich, nutty flavor when earth bleached. After blanching they are an attractive light yellow of superb quality. Plants are large, upright and very heavy. If properly stored, it will keep perfectly during the winter. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.45; ¼ lb. \$3.90



Thick Leaved Dandelion

### DANDELION

5226 Thick Leaved 95 days. The large, thick, dark green leaves are used as "greens" for boiling or the flavor may be improved if the leaves are tied together and the hearts bleached and eaten like endive. In good soil, plants form a spreading rosette 1½ ft. and more across. The plants are vigorous and quick growing.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ cz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.85

Burpee Pays the Transportation



### CELERIAC

Turnip-Rooted Celery

5212 Giant Prague 120 days. It has a flavor similar to celery and is highly valued boiled or used in vegetable soup, stews, and other dishes. May be grated and eaten raw. Flesh is pure white. The edible portion is the large, thick root, which may be used when it has grown about 2 in. across; fully grown roots may average 4 in. in diameter. Grow like celery except that it does not require hilling or blanching. Roots may be stored.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.10



### HORSE-RADISH ROOTS

6903 Maliner Kren The true Bohemian Horse-Radish, and the standard variety for condiment use. Well known for its vigorous growth and large-sized white roots. We offer small sets or roots of the right size for planting in the spring to furnish large roots for use in the late fall or winter. Set the small roots upright, 15 to 18 in. apart, thick end up, in rows 2 to 4 ft. apart and the tops about 2 in. below the surface of the soil. Roots can be shipped outside Continental U. S. only at customer's risk.

6 roots for 60¢; 12 for \$1.10;
50 for \$3.35; 250 or more (@ \$33.00 per 1000, prepaid

#### 6908 GARLIC SETS

Extra Select Garlic is the most pungent of the onion family, and is used for flavoring soups, stews, sausages and salad dressings. We supply mother bulbs which are made up of several sections called cloves held together by a thin paper covering. Sets should be separated before planting. Garlic Sets can be shipped outside the Continental U.S. only at customer's risk. Lb. 95¢; 2 lbs. 31.70; 5 lbs. 33.75





Burpee's Black Beauty Eggplant

## 6031 Burpee's Black Beauty O

73 days. Tender and tasty at all stages of growth. The rich, deep purplish black, smooth fruits retain their color for a long time and grow enormous. When fully developed, they are blunt and broad at the blossom end and weigh several pounds each. It has no spines, Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 65%; oz. 95%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.85

### 5223 Burpee Hybrid O—Excellent

70 days. More resistant to drought and disease than any commercial variety. Outstanding, true, first generation (F1) hybrid. Tall, tree-like, semi-spreading in habit, vigorous and produces continuously many fruits which are oval, medium-sized, and of a good dark purple color and high gloss. Most fruits borne high and do not touch the ground,

Pkt. (30 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 90¢; 3 pkts. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

### ENDIVE

In early stages of growth leaves may have a pungent taste but later the inner leaves blanch and become sweet and tender. Used principally as a salad, but may be cooked and served with butter sauce or grated cheese; often used for garnishing. A pkt. of seed will sow about 20 ft. of row; 1 oz. 100 ft.

6038 Green Curled (Giant Fringed Oyster) © 65 days. Makes an excellent crisp and tender salad. Rich green, finely cut or laciniated leaves which readily blanch to an appetizing creamy white in the center. Plants grow 16 to 18 in. across when grown in good, rich garden soil.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$2.10

5027 Broad Leaved Batavian 90 days. (Full Heart Strain) May be cooked like spinach or used in soups and stews. A popular Escarolle with large, broad, slightly twisted lettuce-like leaves forming immense round plants up to 16 in. across.

Heart is very deep, well-blanched, creamy white and of thick, buttery texture. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢;

1/4 lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.65

6036 Deep Heart 70 days. All-America Silver MedalWinner. Improved Full Heart Batavian Escarolle of upright growth with an extra deep, well filled and more compact heart which readily blanches itself to clear creamy yellow of buttery texture. Large, thick, dark green leaves with slightly curled edges. A widely

grown and popular variety.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢;

½ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.15



Blue Curled

Scotch

KALE-An excellent vitamin-rich green leafy vegetable

Widely used for "boiling greens." Young leaves may be chopped raw like lettuce for salads and sandwiches. Light frost seems to improve the flavor. Kale, with a little protection, usually stands the average winter. A pkt. of seed will sow 30 ft. of row, 1 oz. 200 ft.

6035 Blue Curled Scotch O 55 days. Low growing, compact, short-stemmed plants with finely curled, bluish green leaves of delicious flavor. Plants grow 12 to 18 in. tall with a spread of 16 to 24 in. Blue Curled Scotch Kale is very widely grown. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.20; ½ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$3.55

5231 **Dwarf Siberian** 65 days. Very hardy, dwarf, spreading kale with broad, thick, grayish green plume-like leaves, plain at center and slightly frilled at edges. Will stand fairly cold winters. Plants 12 to 16 in. tall with spread of 24 to 36 in. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10; ½ lb. \$1.90; lb. \$3.45

Wonder-Bre The amazing new growth stimulant, Gibberellic Acid. For flowers, house plants, lawns, trees and shrubs. In liquid form.

9204-2 ozs. 65¢; 9211-4 ozs. \$1.10; 9261-6 oz. Aerosol, \$1.45

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Lavender

Sage

Sweet Marjoram

Thume

## HERBS—Aromatic, Medicinal and Kitchen

Sweet Basil

Herbs belong in every vegetable garden and, because of their ornamental appearance, may also be grown in the flower garden.

6147 Anise
75 days. Annual. 1½ ft. Used for garnishing and flavoring; the seeds have an aromatic flavor and are used in cakes, bread, applesauce, stews, soups, cream or cottage cheese and other foods.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10

6146 Basil, Sweet 85 days. Annual. 1½ to 2 ft. The leaves, green or dried, are chiefly used as a seasoning for soups, stews, fish sauces, vinegar, beans, peas, omelets, salad and meats.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.20

6148 Borage 80 days. Annual. 1½ ft. The young tender flavor lemonade and other cooling drinks. Faintly aromatic. Splendid as a forage for bees. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.20

6141 Caraway 70 days. Biennial. 1½ to 2 ft. Seeds are used for flavoring bread, pastry, cakes, confections, cheese, sauces, soups, etc.; young leaves and shoots may be used to flavor salads.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢

6142 Catnip or Catmint 80 days. Perennial. 1½ to are used for seasoning and as tea for nervous headaches. Excellent tonic for animals.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35

6143 Chives 80 days. Perennial. 6 in. Tops, finely cut, are used for giving a mild onion-like flavor to soups, stews, meats, cottage cheese, potatoes and also used in salads. Plants grow in clusters. Pkt. 30¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.95

6144 Dill 70 days. Annual, 2 to 2½ ft. The green leaves are nice for flavoring soups, stews and sauces; also used extensively in a minced state with lettuce. Dry or green branches and seeds are much prized for flavoring dill pickles and making dill vinegar. Very easily grown, popular herb of strong aromatic odor, Pkt. 25¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. 95¢

6157 Fennel, Florence Also known as Finocchio. 90 days. Annual. 2½ ft. Enlarged, flat-oval leaf base has a pleasing anise-like flavor. Used in salads; eaten raw or boiled. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢

6158 **Horehound** 75 days. Perennial. 14 in. Leaves are used for seasoning and in candy or medicine Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.45

6154 Lavender, True 60 days. Perennial. 2 ft. tall. Flowers are dried and placed in the linen closet to impart their perfume to the linens. Also used as a repellent to moths. Sweet scented, light lavender-blue flowers. Pkt. 25¢; ½ 0.2 1.1.65; 0.2 42.85

Parsley-see page 84.

6159 Rosemary 85 days. Half hardy perennial. 2 to 3 ft. Favorite aromatic herb with a delightful fragrance. The leaves and young tips are used for flavoring sauces, meats and soups. Light blue flowers are borne profusely in April.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ coz. \$2.5¢ coz. \$4.30

6153 Sage 75 days. Perennial. 1 to 2 ft. Used as a seasoning for poultry, sausage, other meats, dressings, fillings, stews, soups, fish chowders and sauces; leaves may be used either fresh or dried.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 80¢; oz. \$1.40

6151 Summer Savory 60 days. Annual. 1 ft. Chiefly used for flavoring salads, dressings, stews and gravies. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.15

6152 Sweet Marjoram 70 days. Annual. 1 to 2 ft. Nice dried in soups, stews, meat pies, salads, sausages and in flavoring peas and beans. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.90

6156 **Thyme** 85 days. Perennial. 6 to 12 in, high. Has aromatic foliage which is used for seasoning soups, stews, gravies, sauces, meat loaf and poultry dressings.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 95¢; oz. \$1.80

#### 4 Popular Kitchen Herbs Chives, Dill, Sage and Sweet Basil

6731 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these four favorite herbs, 4 pkts. in all, value \$1.05 for only 85¢

### **KOHLRABI**

Cooked kohlrabi may be served with butter, salt and pepper, or with sour cream or white sauce. When young, may be chilled and served raw. Edible portion is a large builb produced on the stem above the ground and which, if used when young, 2 to 2½ in. across, are more delicate in flavor and texture. The crisp, tender flesh has a very mild, sweet turnip-like flavor. A pkt. of seed will sow about 30 ft. of row; an oz. 250 ft.

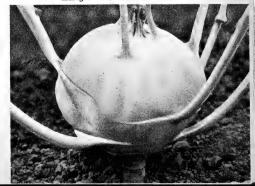
6032 Early White Vienna 55 days. Skin is light green and very smooth; the flesh is creamy white, tender and of a delicate mild flavor. Suitable for freezing. Dwarf growing plants with small, short leaves.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢; ¼ lb. \$2.45

5234 Early Purple Vienna 60 days. "Apple-like" bulbs are a purplish color and the fiesh is an attractive greenish white. Matures five days later than White Vienna but otherwise resembles it in tenderness and fine quality; the bulbs usually grow a trifle larger than Early White Vienna.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢; ¼ lb. \$2.45

Early White Vienna Kohlrabi





Burpee's Fordhook Fancy Mustard



Mushrooms, Pure Culture Spawn



**Ouster Plant** 

Extra Curled Dwarf Parsley

### **OYSTER** PLANT or SALSIFY Sandwich Island

Mammoth

6098 120 days. Delicious when made into soup, pancakes, fritters, or used diced or mashed. Salsify or used diced or mashed. Salsify may also be cooked, chilled and served as a salad. It imparts a flavor that is not unlike that of oysters; flesh is creamy white. The roots grow 8 in. and more in length and are 1 to 1½ in, in diameter at shoulder, slightly tapering, clean cut and uniform. They are hardy and some may be left in the ground over winter for early spring use. For winter use, dig roots in the fall and store in moist sand in a cool cellar. Best roots sand in a cool cellar. Best roots sand in a cool cellar. Best roots are grown on rather light soil. A pkt. of seed will sow about 20 ft.

of row; an oz. 100 ft. of row.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 40¢;

oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

### MUSTARD GREENS

A pkt, of seed will sow 50 ft, of row; oz. 200 ft,

5265 Burpee's Fordhook Fancy © 40 days. Deeply curled and fringed dark green leaves curving backward like ostrich plumes. Of mild flavor. Stands long time before bolting.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.40 5265 Burpee's Fordhook Fancy O 40

5261 Florida Broad Leaf 43 days. Especially desirable for greens because of the ease of preparing the smooth leaves, which are large, broad and smooth, medium green with distinct, flattened greenish white midrib.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 35¢; ½ lb. 85¢

6256 Green Wave 42 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. A long standing, slow bolting mustard, the broad, rich dark green leaves of which are curled and frilled along the edges. A heavy yielding variety.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.40 yielding variety.

5038 Southern Giant Curled 40 days. Popular curled mustard for spring or fall planting. The bright green leaves are of a pleasing, mild flavor. They are large, moderately broad, fringed and curled at margins.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 85¢

5264 Tendergreen O 35 days. Rapid growing mustard with large, broad, thick, dark green leaves which when cooked have a delicious, spinach flavor. Heavy cropper; long standing. Heat and drought resistant.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. 95¢

### MUSHROOM

6910 Pure Culture Tobacco Stem Spawn Crumbled Tobacco Stem Spawn is the latest development in Pure Culture Mushroom Spawn. It is easier to handle, the growth is more vigor-Mushroom Spawn. It is easier to handle, the growth is more vigorous, and results are more certain. Adverse growing conditions are more readily overcome, as the tobacco stem medium is high in food elements needed by the growing mushroom. One pkg. plants 10 to 12 sq. ft. Complete directions are included on each package.

75¢ per package; 5 pkgs. \$3.35; 10 pkgs. \$5.00

### MANGELS

Used largely for winter stock feeding

5131 Mammoth Prize Long Red 110 days. Roots 18 to 24 in. long, 5 to 6 in. across. Skin is light red, flesh white tinged rose. Grow ½ to ½ above ground so they are easy to harvest. Used largely for winter feeding of cqttle, sheep, hogs and poultry. A pkt. of seed will sow 25 ft. of row; an oz. 100 ft. of row.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ½ lb. 75¢; ½ lb. \$1.25; lb. \$2.10



Perfected Perkins' Long Pod Okra

### OKRA

The pods are valuable for cutting up in soups, stews, catsup and other relishes to add body and flavor. It is also used as a vegetable, Pods must be picked when young, before they become too large, A pkt. of seed will sow 15 ft. of row; one oz. 50 ft. of row.

A pkt. of seed will sow to the So 56 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. Dark green slightly grooved, straight, point pods are 7 to 9 in long and without spines. Plants grow 4 ft. tall. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 75¢

5263 Dwarf Green Long Pod 52 days. Pods are ribbed, pointed, fleshy, dark green, 7 to 8 in. long, 1 in. wide. 2 to 2½ ft. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. 95¢

6077 Perfected Perkins' Long Pod 55 days. Slightly ribbed, dark green, pointed pods, 7 to 8 in. long, 3 to 4 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 30¢; ½ lb. 75¢

### **PARSLEY**

It is easy to have parsley all the year round for it is easily grown in the garden in either sun or shade as well as in pots during winter. A border planting in the flower garden is decorative as well as useful. Mostly used green for garnishing and seasoning. The leaves may be dried and kept in air-tight bottles for seasoning use during the winter. A pkt. of seed will sow about 30 ft. of row; an oz. 200 ft.

6073 Extra Curled Dwarf © 85 days. Also known as Emerald. Compact plants with finely cut and curled, moss-like leaves of dark green that is a most attractive color. Popular and widely grown variety.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

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6071 Paramount 85 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. Most uniformly "triple" curled parsley with unusually rich dark green leaves; stems are tall and stout.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

5285 Plain or Single 72 days. Plain, dark green, deeply cut, flat but not curled leaves with rich flavor, ideal for flavoring. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.00

5283 Parsnip-Rooted or Hamburg 90 days. Principally grown for the parsnip-5283 Faiship—Robert of Framibut 5 90 days, rimelpany grown for the paising-like roots of white flesh which is used for flavoring soups, stews, etc. like celery or celeriac. The slender roots grow 6 in. and more long and about 2 in. thick across the neck.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ½ lb. \$1.05



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### Loosehead LETTUCE

The best type for nome garden use, especially where summers are hot. Long season with high nutritional value. They make a large, round, thick bunch of leaves which are blanched to a light green or creamy yellow in the center of the plant. The leaves are attractive in appearance, tender and of delightful crispness and mild flavor. Also splendid to provide an extraerly supply of delicious salad for, when just a few inches tall, the thinnings may be used for the table.

#### 6045 Black-Seeded Simpson

45 days. Grows quickly, is early and of extra fine quality. Splendid non-heading or cutting lettuce with broad, light green, frilled and crumpled outer leaves; center leaves blanch almost white. Texture is brittle and crisp; flavor is delicate and appetizing.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.20

#### 6056 Bronze Beauty

40 days. Leaves are very tender, of unusually fine butterlike flavor, sharply cut, dark green tinged with bronze. Long standing, compact grower; resistant to hot weather; easy to grow; uniform.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

#### 5023 Early Prizehead - Crist

45 days. One of the most popular varieties, producing large, tender, loose heads of bright green, curled and crimped leaves which are heavily shaded with brownish red. Excellent flavor and quality.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.35

#### 6043 Grand Rapids — Popular

45 days. Widely grown non-heading lettuce with intensely fringed and curled leaves. Regular sowing will give an abundance of young, tender leaves very early in the season, but if the plants are spaced 12 in. apart each way, they will produce round masses of sweet, brittle, light green leaves.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.50

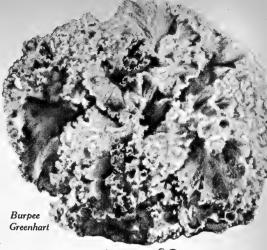


## **Burpee's CELTUCE**



5206 Combines the uses of CELery and LetTUCE. Truly delicious. Young leaves have four times the vitamin C content of head-lettuce leaves. Belongs to the lettuce family but has more uses. When plants are young, the leaves may be used as lettuce or as boiling "greens," but its chief value is the heart of the central stem or stalk which may be eaten raw or cooked in the same ways as you would prepare celery. It is grown the same as lettuce. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.30

**Burpee Seeds Grow** 



### 6058 Burpee Greenhart ® O - A favorite

45 days. This special strain of Grand Rapids stands longer before bolting to seed; leaves are lighter green, the margins finely frilled and deeply cut. The tender, sweet and crispy leaves are popular with gardeners during spring, early summer and fall. Pkt. 30¢; oz. 75¢; ½ lb. \$2.25

#### 6052 Oak Leaf-Shaped like oak leaves

40 days. Forms a tight rosette of medium green leaves which are deeply lobed, with the end lobe elongated. Tender, long standing and of excellent quality. The most heat-resistant loosehead lettuce.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

#### 5256 Ruby—All-America Bronze Medal Winner

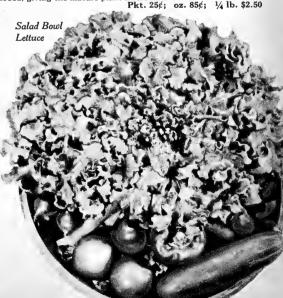
47 days. The bright green frilled leaves, prominently shaded with intense red, make this crisp lettuce a delight to the eye and the palate. In addition to its attractiveness it is sweet and succulent. Pkt. 25¢; oz. \$1.50; 1/4 lb. \$4.50

#### 6048 Slobolt - Long standing; tender

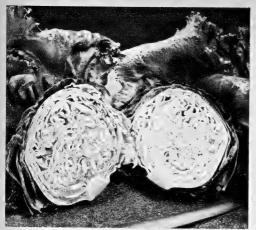
45 days. Withstands midsummer temperatures and is very slow to go to seed. Foliage is light green, savoyed with waved and heavily frilled edges. Pkt. 30¢; oz. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$4.50

#### 6042 Salad Bowl O—Resists heat

45 days. All-America Gold Medal Winner. Decidedly crisp and tender. Large, medium-green, slow bolting, non-heading, differing in appearance from all other varieties in that the leaves are deeply lobed, giving the mature plant a resemblance to endive



## **Burpee's Crisp-head LETTUCE**



Great Lakes Lettuce-Stands hot weather

### 6051 Burpee's Iceberg O-Delicious

85 days. The heads are compact, not too large, and have few outer leaves and most delicious, crisp, tender hearts blanched to a silvery white even under average garden conditions. Leaves are light green, wavy, fringed and heavily savoyed with edges tinged light brown. Iceberg is exceedingly vigorous and hardy so that it will withstand some hot weather conditions; it is well suited to Eastern and Midwestern growing conditions. This is the original Burpee Iceberg lettuce and should not be confused with the New York and Imperial types which are commonly called Iceberg in the produce trade.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ¼ lb. \$1.70

### 6057 Imperial No. 847—Long lasting

84 days. Stands hot weather with nearly as much ability to head under unfavorable conditions as Imperial 44. The head is larger and deeper and it retains its fine quality and appetizing appearance a long time. Excellent heat-resistant strain.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.25



To be sure of garden fresh vegetables, grow your own

Crisp-head lettuce forms well-folded heads of crisp, brittle texture and, where the plants are grown singly at a suitable distance apart, they make very large, round, firm heads which are blanched silvery white or creamy yellow in the center. Crisphead lettuce will stand more heat than the butterheads.

### 6053 Great Lakes O

All-America Bronze Medal Winner

90 days. Heavy, glistening, crackling, crisp, well-folded heads of extra good quality, fine flavor and brittle texture. It is an exceptionally choice, large, dark green fringed lettuce, especially valuable as a summer variety because it stands up well in warm weather. Succeeds under many adverse conditions.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 85¢; ½ 1b.\$2.50

#### 5022 Premier Great Lakes

80 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Heads are solid, practically round; leaves are deep green, the outer ones somewhat flattened, smooth without fringed margins. It is highly resistant to both tipburn and heat.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 85¢; ½ lb. \$2.50

### 6138 Pennlake—Well formed heads

80 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. An attractive head lettuce of excellent quality. Smaller head, less ribby with less finely cut edges than Great Lakes. Outer leaves are dark green and resistant to tipburn; inside leaves are crisp and firm. Stands up well in hot weather.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

### 5021 New York No. 12-Stands heat

85 days. Large green heads of excellent quality with heavily curled and savoyed leaves and blanched, silvery white, tightly folded heart. Stands heat very well.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.80

### 6055 Imperial No. 44 O—Dependable

84 days. Usually a sure header, even during warm weather. Heads are medium large, slightly flattened, extremely compact, well-formed, with dark green, heavily savoyed, tender leaves. A dependable favorite.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; ½ lb. \$2.10

#### 3 Extra Good Burpee Lettuce

Burpeeana (Butterhead), Iceberg (Crisp-head) and Burpee Greenhart (Loosehead)

6671 - SPECIAL: One pkt. of each, value 90¢ for only 75¢

### Greenleaf Vegetables For Winter Use

Greens and salads are highly beneficial to health as they are good sources of minerals and are also rich in vitamins. They are easily grown, very palatable, and may be had in a wide range of flavors from the piquant tang of endive to the mild taste of lettuce. Combinations of greens and salads are highly desirable and pleasing.

"Greens" grow best during the cool seasons of the year. In addition to spring plantings, you should plan to sow again in mid- or late summer for fall use or later where winters are not too severe.

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Lettuce, the brittle, tender leaves of the crisp and loosehead types; Endive, the refreshing flavor of the curled or the tangy taste of the Batavian Escarolle; these are the universal favorites. Then, there is Chinese Cabbage with its delicate celery-lettuce flavor, and for many weeks after frost you can use the regular Cabbage. Others include Broccoli, with its rich green, sprouting heads; Brussels Sprouts, whose flavor seems to improve after a light frost as does Kale; Chives, with its mild onion-like flavor; Bunching Onions for green scallions; Leeks, sweet flavored, thick stems; Collards, good boiling green with cabage-like flavor; Corn Salad, well known Lamb's Lettuce; Mustard Greens, splendid for salad or cooked like spinach; Parsley, a 'must' in every garden, for garnishing or dried for use as flavoring; Spinach, frosty nights improve the color; Swiss Chard, popular for boiling greens as is Spinach Beet; Turnip Greens, use the Foliage variety, leaves have a mild flavor when cooked like spinach.

### **Burpee's Butterhead LETTUCE**



#### 6046 White Boston O<sub>−No red tinge</sub>

80 days. The solid heart blanches to an attractive bright creamy yellow of high quality and fine texture. The large heads are tightly folded over the top. Outer leaves are of a uniform light green entirely free from brown markings or reddish tinge. White Boston is popular and used extensively for home gardens. It is a white seeded variety.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.35

### 5028 Big Boston—Popular variety

83 days. Heads particularly well during cool weather of early summer and fall. Medium large, compact heads, the outer leaves being light green, smooth, with slight reddish brown tinge at the edges; heart is crisp, tender and blanches to light golden yellow of the most appetizing appearance.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.15

### 6041 Burpee's Wayahead O

77 days. Heads well under adverse conditions, making it a favorite first early for home gardens. Plants of medium size with shiny, bright green, savoyed foliage and few outer leaves. The buttery heart is a beautiful creamy yellow; that is sweet, crisp and tender. Pkt. 25¢; 0z. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

#### 5238 Deer Tongue-Unusual type

80 days. Attractive green heads of excellent quality, with a thick, succulent mid-rib. Leaves are oblong to triangular in shape with rounded tip, slightly savoyed. Fully grown plants are of compact, upright growth, 12 in. across, 7 in. high. Stands heat; slow to bolt.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 70¢; ½ lb. \$2.00

### Cos or Romaine LETTUCE

5035 Paris White 83 days. (Light Green) Much esteemed for its fresh crispness and sweet yet piquant flavor. Distinctive from other lettuce, the head being upright, tightly folded, about 10 in tall with medium green outer leaves and greenish white interior with endive-like flavor. Needs no tying in order to blanch the heart.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 55¢; ½ lb. \$1.35

6253 Burpeeana Lettuce O

The gourmet's delight

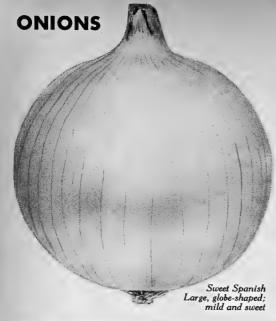
75 days. Burpeeana Lettuce is delicious with just about the finest flavor you have ever tasted.

Burpeeana heads are small, ideal for serving as individual salads. Leaves are loosely folded, outer ones dark green, at times slightly tinged or marked with brown; inside blanches to golden yellow. Always crisp and without any bitterness—even the outer leaves retain their crispness and delicate, appetizing flavor.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.90

Butterhead lettuce develops well-folded heads of good form and resembles a small cabbage in appearance. The heart is tightly folded and blanches to a light golden or buttery yellow. In how weather sections, they may not head as readily as the crisp-head varieties but will grow rapidly and produce tender, tasty leaves of delicious flavor. Lettuce grows best during the cool seasons of the year. A pkt. of seed will sow 50 ft. of row; 1 oz. 300 ft.





### 5274 White Sweet Spanish Utah Strain

110 days. Its large size, small neck, and attractive, deep globu-110 days. Its large size, small neck, and attractive, deep global lar appearance make it a favorite sweet, round, glistening white onion, the flesh of which is pearl-white, of mild flavor, solid and crisp. Identical with the original Sweet Spanish in every way except the color of the skin which is pure white.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

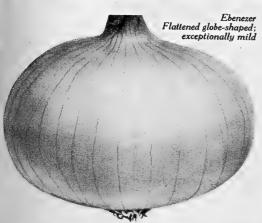
### 5279 Burpee Sweet Spanish Hybrid O

110 days. The exceptional uniformity and high yield of this first generation (F1) hybrid make it most outstanding. Onions are huge, globular, with light yellowish skin and crisp, creamy white flesh of mild flavor. A fine transplant type that also performs well when it is used for direct seeding outdoors. Pkt. (400 seeds) 50¢; ½ oz. 95¢; oz. \$1.75; ¼ lb. \$4.25

#### 5241 Autumn Spice—F<sub>1</sub> Hybrid; excellent keeper

102 days. Very uniform, medium sized, round to slightly oblate onions with a heavy, brown skin; flesh is creamy white, crisp, pungent and firm. True, first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid.

Pkt. 40¢; ½ oz. 85¢; oz. \$1.10; ¼ lb. \$3.50



### 6076 Sweet Spanish O **UTAH STRAIN**

110 days. Very large, globe-shaped, exceptionally mild, fine grained and sweet-excellent when cooked or for use in salads or other ways without cooking. They are remarkably uniform, have light yellow skin and pure white, firm, crisp, tasty flesh. Under proper growing conditions, will measure 4 to 6 in. across, Although onions of this type will not keep so long in storage as Yellow Globe Danvers, Southport or Ebenezer, Utah Sweet Spanish will stand shipping and storage for short periods better than the Bermuda varieties. In sections where summers are short, seed is usually started early.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 70¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$3.75

#### 5273 Early Yellow Globe

100 days. Beautiful globe-shaped, deep yellow skinned onion with clear white flesh of mild flavor. Early, unionion with crear white near to find havon. Larry form, solid, and large; an enormous cropper and a good keeper due to the thick, tight skin of the bulbs.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

### 5275 Southport Yellow Globe O

115 days. Flesh is fine grained, creamy white, fairly strong flavored, solid, juicy; skin is bright golden yellow. Onions are deep globular, with rather full shoulder and a thin, slender neck. Uniform in size, shape, color, and quality. Good keeper; cures easily. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb/ \$3.00

#### 5287 White Portugal (Silver Skin)

100 days. Large, flat, white onion with firm, fine grained flesh of mild and pleasing flavor. Used for bunching or "green" onions, or for pickling before they are fully grown; desirable for fall storage. Dependable.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

#### 5266 Yellow Bermuda

95 days. Extremely mild, juicy white flesh; onions are medium-sized, flattened, with light straw-yellow skin, An especially desirable variety for early home use. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

### 5036 Ebenezer O-Extra good keeper

105 days. One of the best winter keepers, remaining in good, hard condition until spring. Bulbs are a flattened globe, 2½ to 3 in. or more across when well grown; yellowish brown skin with firm yellowish white flesh of exceptionally mild flavor. Grown extensively for sets because of good keeping quality and heavy yield. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

Don't deprive yourself of the Best Seeds that Grow; order today from Burpee's nearest to you.

## LEEK

Sweet, subtle flavor

6047 Broad London Also known as Large American Flag. 130 days. Belongs to the onion family, but has a decidedly sweet flavor. The long, thick, blanched necks may be used alone or as a thick puree of green peas and leeks; also highly prized for use in soups, stews, or creamed. The quality of leeks may be improved by drawing earth up around the plants after they are well grown to blanch as you would celery. A pkt. of seed will sow 25 ft. of row; ½ oz. 100 ft. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50



88 W. ATLEE BURPEE CO., Seed Growers, Philadelphia, Pa.; Clinton, Iowa; Riverside, Calif.

5276 Burpee Yellow Globe Hybrid Onion

First yellow globe hybrid offered commercially to gardeners

102 days. A sensational, first generation (F1) hybrid onion outstanding for earliness, uniformity, high yield and exceptional keeping quality. Onions are globular, smooth, 3 to 3½ in. across, with light golden skin and sweet, succulent, fine grained yellowish white flesh that is mildly pungent.

Pkt. (400 seeds) 50¢; ½ oz. 95¢;
oz. \$1.75; ¼ lb. \$4.25

#### 5268 Crystal White Wax - Delicate flavor

95 days. An attractive early onion of the Bermuda type; quite flat in shape, sweet and mild flavor; medium-large with clear white skin and waxy white flesh. Most popular in the South, especially in Texas, where it grows much larger than in the North. This variety is not recommended for winter storage.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50



Evergreen Bunching

### 6072 Evergreen Long White Bunching

120 days. Seeds sown in the spring or summer will provide mild, green scallions late in the fall or, if wintered over, very early the following spring. Although hardy, the young plants will need protection in sections where winters are severe. Grown for its long, slender, silvery white stalks which are produced in clusters and used for green bunching onions or scallions. Does not form bulbs. For flavoring, you may use young plants 60 days after sowing seed.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00



Burpee Yellow Globe Hybrid

#### 5277 Red Wethersfield—Large

105 days. Flesh is white, lightly tinged with pinkish rose near the skin; flavor is strong. Onions are large, flattened, with deep rich purplish red, smooth, glossy skin. An onion that is unexcelled if red onions are wanted.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

#### 5031 Yellow Globe Danvers

105 days. A great favorite because it is productive and a good winter keeper. Onions are medium-size, globular, light golden brown, smooth, firm and uniform. Flesh is pellowish white and of strong flavor. Yellow Globe Danvers are grown in quantity for production of sets.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

#### 3 Extra Choice Onions Sweet Spanish, White Portugal,

Yellow Globe Danvers 6611-SPECIAL: One pkt. of each, value 65¢ for only

6908 Garlic is the most pungent of the onion family and used extensively for flavoring. We supply extra select, firm mother bulbs, the finest available.

Lb. 95¢; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.75

6143 Chives have the mildest onion taste, the tops being used for flavoring. Chives are extremely easy to grow from seeds.

Pkt. 30¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.95



### ONION SETS

Burpee's sets are of the best quality, carefully screened and stored at the proper temperature until they are sent to you. They should be planted as early in the spring as the soil can be worked. Desirable for green or bunching onions quite early in the season. They will produce large onions if left to fully mature. One pound of onion sets will plant 50 ft. of row. Onion sets may be shipped outside the Continental U.S. only at the customer's risk.

6905 Yellow These sets will mature into large, handsome, flattened, globe-shaped onions with yellowish brown skin and firm, yellowish white, mild flesh, Good keepers.

Lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

6906 White Produce large, silvery white onions with fine grained flesh of mild and pleasing flavor. Excellent for pickling when small as well as green or bunching onions. Mature white onions will keep for some time in good condition.

Lb. 55; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.45

### Onions are Universally Popular

for flavoring salads, raw or cooked vegetables, soups, sauces, stews, etc., or served as a separate vegetable. A large selection of varieties from which to choose—round or flat in shape, mild or lairly strong in flavor, and white, yellow or red colored skin although the flesh of all is white. You may pull green onions as needed before the bulb enlarges or large onions after bulbs are formed. Fully matured onions may be kept for winter storing. Some varieties are better than others for this purpose as explained in the description. A pkt. of seed will sow about 20 ft. of row; 1 oz. 200 ft.

## **Extra Sweet Early GREEN PEAS**



Burpeeana Early-Note the heavy yield of well-filled pods

### 6222 Burpeeana Early O

Heavy yielder of highest quality peas

63 days. Burpee's extremely prolific, early, deliciously sweet all-purpose dwarf pea. Pods, 3 to 3½ in. long, straight, slightly curved at tip and tightly filled with 8 to 10 medium to large, sweet, tender peas of excellent quality. Retain color and flavor when quick frozen. Vines grow 18 to 24 in. tall and bear profusely. Gardeners throughout the country have written us most favorably of the excellent results they have obtained with Burpeeana Early Peas. A "must" for your garden.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 95¢; 2 lbs. \$1.80; 5 lbs. \$4.25

# Burpee's Favorite Three Early Dwarf Growing Peas

Burpeeana Early, Burpee's Blue Bantam and Little Marvel

6722 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each, value 65¢ for 50¢ 6732 - SPECIAL: ½ lb. each, value \$1.45 for \$1.25 6742 - SPECIAL: 1 lb. each, value \$2.55 for 2.25

#### **Extra Sweet Green Peas**

Seeds of the sweetest peas are wrinkled when dried and are commonly referred to as wrinkled seeded. They, both early and main crop varieties, are favored for eating garden fresh, quick freezing and canning because of their extra sweetness and better quality. Burpeeans Early is strongly recommended for its yield and flavor; Burpee's Blue Bantam and Thomas Laxton for larger peas. For main crop, Fordhook Wonder is best. All are delicious. A pkt. of peas will sow 20 ft. of single row; 1 lb. 100 ft.

### 6223 Burpee's Blue Bantam O

64 days. There is no better, sweeter, more delicious pea than Burpee's Blue Bantam—large, dark green pods, fine quality, heavy yield, medium early, and long bearing season. Pods are 4 in. long, very dark green, pointed and rather slender, containing 7 to 9 large, sweet, deep green peas of a distinctly superior flavor; excellent for freezing. It is early enough to make a crop in practically all parts of the country if planted in proper season. Superb quality. The vines grow 15 to 18 in. tall and produce coarse, dark green foliage. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

#### 5173 Freezonian - Wilt-resistant

63 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Dark green, blunt pods,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, filled with 7 or 8 luscious deep green, sweet and tender peas. Excellent for quick freezing as the tender, clinging skin does not peel or loosen. Very productive; exceptionally fine quality.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Pkt.  $20\frac{1}{2}$ ; lb.  $45\frac{1}{2}$ ; lb.  $80\frac{1}{2}$ ; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

#### 6225 Little Marvel O-Heavy yielding

63 days. Dark green, nearly round, square-ended pods, 3 in. long, tightly packed with 7 or 8 large, deep green peas of the most delicious flavor. Good for freezing. With Little Marvel you can expect heavy yield, high quality, attactive appearance and superior flavor. 18 in. Pkt. 20¢;  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  lb. 45¢; 7 lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

#### 5172 Nott's Excelsior—Favorite dwarf

62 days. The plump straight pods are 3 in long, bluntended and thickly filled with 5 to 7 round peas of a deliciously sweet and delicate flavor. Vines 12 to 16 in. tall and extremely prolific. Popular early pea. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

### 5176 Progress No. 9—Early, wilt-resistant

60 days. The earliest long podded pea growing to a length of  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in. and filled with 7 to 9 peas of the most delicious flavor. The vines grow 20 in. tall. High resistance to fusarium wilt is one of its outstanding features. Pkt. 20 $\epsilon$ ; 1/2 lb. 45 $\epsilon$ ; lb. 80 $\epsilon$ ; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

### 6221 Thomas Laxton O-Heavy yielder

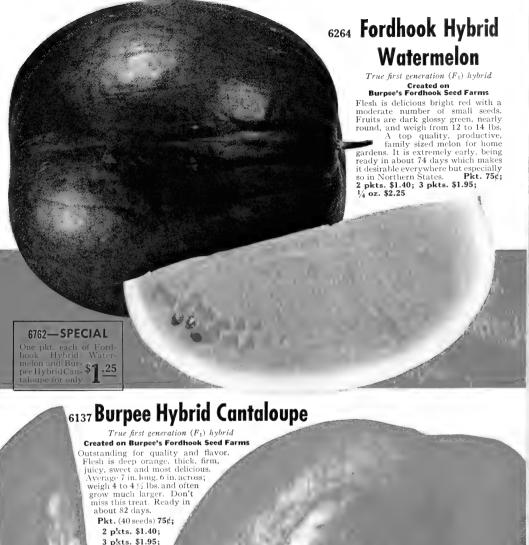
### 6226 Wando O-Stands hot weather

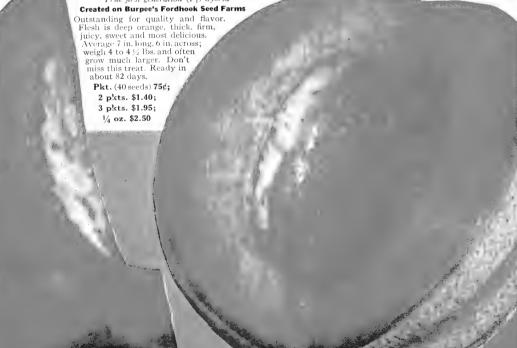
68 days. Most productive hot weather pea having been bred not only for tolerance to heat but also to cold. Pods are dark green, blunt and well filled with 7 or 8 tender, medium size peas of fine quality for fresh use, canning and freezing. The vigorous and prolific vines grow 2 ½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

### 5175 World's Record-Early strain

63 days. Favorite tall growing, early, large-podded pea-Vines grow about 3 ft. tall and bear an enormous crop of pods 3½ in. long, nearly straight, pointed at the tip, medium green, holding 6 to 8 large, tender peas of sweet, luscious flavor. This is a good variety for freezing. We offer the improved strain carefully selected for earliness. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25









## Main-Crop Extra Sweet GREEN PEAS

### 6231 Fordhook Wonder O

Dwarf; largest podded main-crop variety

79 days. Extremely large pods, 5 to 5% in long, nearly round, dark green, containing up to 10 extra large, sweet and most delicious peas of excellent quality, for eating fresh, canned or quick freezing. We recommend Fordhook Wonder for any section where late peas do well as a main-crop home garden pea. Vines grow 28 in. tall; peas are of the finest flavor and retain their sweetness a long time after the pods are ready to pick.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 95¢; 2 lbs. \$1.75; 5 lbs. \$4.00

#### 5174 Alderman-Tall Dark Podded Telephone

74 days. An ideal high quality green pea of unsurpassed flavor, which holds its green color well in cooking. Pods  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 in. and more in length, straight, pointed; well filled with 8 to 10 extralarge, extra-sweet peas. Depending upon growing conditions, vines grow 4½ to 6 ft. tall and require support. They are very productive over a long bearing season. Does best in cooler regions as do all largest podded types. Excellent for fresh use and freezing.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

### **EARLY PEAS**—Smooth-Seeded

Seeds of Alaska and Radio are smooth and round and are referred to as smooth-seeded; they are valuable for earliest crop, high yield and general hardiness. They are not so sweet as the winkled seeded varieties.

#### 5165 Alaska

Resistant to wilt

55 days. Also known as Earliest of All. Standard, extra-early smooth-seeded pea with short, round, plump, light green pods, 2½ in. long, tight-ly packed with 6 to 8 small, round, green peas. For home gardens, we recommend Burpeeana Early because the quali-

ty is very much better.

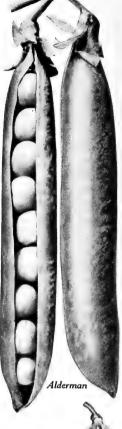
Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢;
lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

#### 5164 Radio

Ideal dwarf early

58 days. Great favorite. In less than two months the plants make vigorous bushes, 12 to 15 in. high, which are simply loaded with well-filled dark green pods, 21/2 in. long; on the average they contain 6 large, round, bright green peas of a rich and deliciously sweet flavor.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25



### EDIBLE-PODDED or SUGAR PEAS

THE PODS ARE COOKED AND EATEN LIKE SNAP BEANS

Sugar Peas possess the tenderness and fleshy podded qualities of a snap bean and the flavor and sweetness of fresh green peas. When young the pods are cooked like snap beans; the peas are not shelled. At this stage, pods are stringless, brittle, succulent and free of fiber or parchment. Should pods develop too fast for use as snap beans, seeds may be eaten as shelled peas and are of the best flavor before they have reached full size.

5184 Mammoth Melting Sugar O 75 days. Wellknown, productive and resistant to fusarium wilt. The fleshy, tender, 4 to 4½ in. pods are light green, broad and blunt-ended, stringless, sweet and delicious. Pods are often sliced for cooking. Vines grow 4 to 4½ ft. tall and should be given support of string or brush to climb upon Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

5183 Dwarf Gray Sugar 65 days. The earliest and dwarfest growing sugar pea. Pods 21/2 to 3 in. long, light green, curved, sweet and high sight peat. 1048 2% to 3 his holf, light gletch, cheek and tender. Vines grow 2 to 2% ft. tall and are very prolific. Ideal variety for home gardens, especially where space is limited and seasons are short.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

### **EDIBLE BLACK-EYE COWPEAS**

5177 Early Ramshorn 60 days. Considered best of all black-eyes. smooth skinned seeds of a most delicious flavor, either fresh or dried. Vigorous, heavy yielding vines, highly resistant to wilt, nematodes and other pea diseases. Pkt. 20¢; ½ 1b. 50¢; 1b. 85¢; 2 lbs. 31.60; 5 lbs. 33.50





Burpeeana Early Hybrid Tomato, our earliest hybrid and one of the earliest of all tomatoes

# Burpee's HYBRID TOMATOES—True First Generation F<sub>1</sub> Hybrids

### 6131 Clinton Hybrid

75 days. Burpee's highly prolific hybrid, maincrop, all-purpose tomato which has proved very satisfactory in many sections even in the Middlewest. Has done exceptionally well in Iowa, Illinois, Ohio and Indiana. Fruits are large, weigh about 8 ozs., bright scarlet, globular-oblate, smooth, with firm, meaty, mild flesh of excellent quality. Pkt. (30 seeds) 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢; ½ oz. \$6.00

### 6135 Fordhook Hybrid

60 days. Early, long bearing, highly prolific hybrid of special value for early use, especially in sections with short summers. Fruits are uniformly shaped, smooth, medium sized, averaging 6 ozs. in weight, oblate to globular in shape and borne freely in large clusters. Skin is clear, bright red and colors evenly. The flesh is solid.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢; ½ oz. \$6.00

### 5071 Burpee Calcross Hybrid

69 days. Developed primarily for California and has done well in other sections. Fruits are medium-large, slightly flattened globe-shaped with bright red skin and firm, meaty flesh of fine quality. Pkt. (30 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½ oz. \$6.50

### 5337 Burpee's Sunnybrook O

70 days. Highly prolific, midseason F<sub>2</sub> tomato. Fruits are scarlet-red, firm, globular, average 7 cos. in weight; flesh is meaty and of excellent quality. Pkt. 20¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  co.  $\frac{90}{6}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  co. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{2}$  co. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{2}$  co. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

### 6125 Burpeeana Early Hybrid®

58 days. Burpeeana produces the highest early yield of all varieties of tomatoes and continues to bear heavily throughout the season. Fruits are rich scarlet, deep globular, medium sized, smooth, averaging 5 ozs. in weight and profusely borne in clusters of from 5 to 8. Flesh is meaty, of excellent quality and of mild flavor that is most delicious.

Extremely high yielding early tomato for all sections but especially valuable in those where the season is short.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½ oz. \$7.50

#### **Burpee and Burpeeana Early Hybrid Tomatoes**

6751—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of Burpeeana Early and Burpee Hybrid Tomatoes, two valuable varieties for successive crops, value \$1.00 for only

#### HYBRID TOMATOES

Hybrid Tomatoes are strong, vigorous growers and have the ability to outyield regular varieties, the extra quantities coming, in large measure, from the soil. It can be readily understood that because Hybrid Tomatoes can produce larger plants and higher yields they must be fed more than standard omatoes. Tests have shown that hybrid tomato seedlings started in 4 in part of the produce ariser and heavier yields than those started in 24 in. bands, produced earlier and heavier yields than those started in 24 in. not sor 2 x2 in. bands when transplanted to the garden. To produce a maximum crop of large fruits, we recommend that you maintain good fertility and moisture in your soil. For this purpose, it is desirable to make your fertilizer application at the time of transplanting and, if possible, cover the ground around the plants with well-rotted manure when plants begin to bloom. Water during dry spells.

Each seed of an F. Hybrid Tomato and other F. hybrid vegetables is pro-Hybrid Tomatoes are strong, vigorous growers and have the ability to

when plants begin to dioom. Water during dry speus. Each seed of an  $F_1$  Hybrid Tomato and other  $F_1$  hybrid vegetables is produced by carefully controlled crossing by hand of two distinct parent lines. This requires a great deal of work and entails a heavy expense but the resulting seed will produce a hybrid of extreme vigor, more uniform in growth, with bigger yields and better quality. We strongly urge that special care and attention be given to the sowing of the seed and the growing of the crop.

Customers have written us, "I bought a packet of your Hybrid Tomato Seeds, 30 seeds for  $50 \, \text{\'e}$ , and grew more than 30 plants. How can you explain this?" There are two explanations—first, Burpee Seeds Grow, and second, we always try to give our customers more than they expect.

### **Hybrid Tomatoes**

### 6136 Burpee's Big Early O

62 days. Fruits of main crop size are produced by this early hybrid. Big Early tomatoes average over 7.6 ounces for the entire season with some fruits up to one pound. The fruits are oblate to globular, very smooth, ripening to a bright scarlet right up to the stem. The walls are thick and the bright, deep red interior is meaty and of excellent flavor; outstanding firm slicer. Plants show great hybrid vigor and are very prolific.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.45; 3 pkts. \$2.10; ½ oz. \$8.50

varieties in certain regional trials.



Burpee's Big Early and Burpee's Big Boy 6753—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these outstanding, highly prolific giant tomatoes, value \$1.25 for only \$1

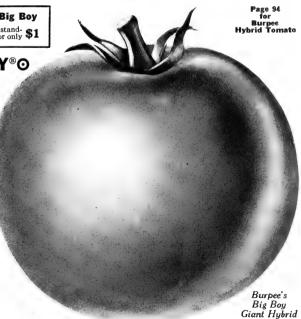
6123 Burpee's BIG BOY®O

78 days. **Big Boy** is the largest of our hybrid tomatoes; many weigh 1lb. and more, some 2 lbs. and over. Unlike other large fruited varieties, Big Boy tomatoes are perfectly smooth, deep globe to deep oblate in shape and very firm; scarlet-red color, thick walls, with bright red, meaty flesh of fine flavor and excellent quality.

Big Boy is at its peak of performance in midseason, although large fruits are produced late in the season when many standard varieties decline in yield and size. Ideal hybrid for all purposes; it is so wonderful that the demand for seed is greater than for any other vegetable that we list.

Plants are very large, extremely vigorous, semi-upright to spreading with moderately dense foliage that protects the fruits from sunscald.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½ oz. \$7.50





### **Large Orange Tomatoes** 6122 Burpee's Jubilee O

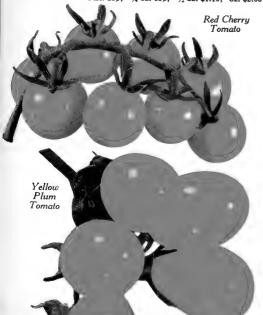
72 days. If you have not enjoyed the delicious flavor and good eating qualities of Burpee's Jubilee, be sure to grow it this year. In shape, smoothness, quality, solidity and heavy yields, Jubilee com-pares favorably with the best of the standard red varieties. Being of mild but definite flavor, Jubilee is preferred by many to the best red tomatoes. Fruits are bright golden orange, deep-globular, 2½ to 3½ in. across, 2½ to 2½ in. in depth, heavy and really delicious. The orange colored interior is very high in vitamins A and C.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. 95¢; oz. \$1.65; ¼ lb. \$4.85

### 5336 Sunray - Wilt-resistant, orange

Same size and color as Burpee's Jubilee with all its fine qualities to which wilt resistance has been added. If you live in a locality where you cannot grow golden orange tomatoes because of fusarium wilt, we recommend that you give Sunray a trial.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.10; oz. \$2.00



### Large Red Hybrid Tomato 6113 Burpee Hybrid O—True F<sub>1</sub>

70 days. Highly prolific, all-purpose, main-crop hybrid, outstanding for the quality and particularly rich flavor of its fruits. Tomatoes are medium to large, firm, thickwalled, and average 8 ozs. in weight. They are deep globular in shape with scarlet-red skin and red, meaty, solid flesh of appetizing appearance

Burpee Hybrid has proved itself to be a valuable tomato of wide adaptation having yielded more than such well-known standard varieties as Marglobe and Rutgers. Holds its size throughout the summer, even Pkt. (30 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½ oz. \$7.50 late in season.

### **Small Red Tomatoes**

5333 Red Cherry 72 days. Gets its name from the shape and size of the fruits which are used for preserving, pickling and salads, or chilled and eaten whole. Tomatoes are round, scarlet, about ½ in. across, freely borne in clusters throughout the summer.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.20

6132 San Marzano 80 days. Highly productive and extensively grown for canning whole, for puree and making "tomato paste"; they are fine if peeled whole for distinctive salads. Fruits are rectangular-shaped, 3½ in. long and 1½ in. across, non-cracking, flat-sided, borne in clusters and with the most intense red of all commercial tomatoes. Exceptionally meaty, free from juicy pulp and of very mild flavor. Ripe fruits are long-lasting on the vine or in storage. Vigorous vines bearing continuously from midseason until frost.

Pkt. 50¢; ½ oz. 95¢; oz. \$1.50

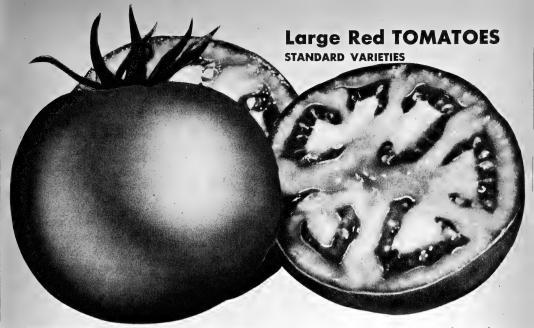
### **Small Yellow Tomatoes**

5335 Yellow Pear 70 days. Of exceedingly mild and pleasing flavor; sweet and delicious. Fine for salads in the fresh state, or for preserving and pickling. Fruits are yellow, pear-shaped with definite neck; 1½ to 2 in, long, 1 in, in diameter and are borne prolifically in clusters.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ 02. 80¢; 02. 31.45

5332 Yellow Plum 70 days. Their sweet and most delicious flavor make them highly desirable for preserves. Excellent in mixed salads. May also be served whole and eaten raw. Immensely productive, small, fleshy tomato, the size and shape of a plum, 2 in, long, 1½ in. across with an attractive bright lemon-yellow skin.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 80¢; oz. \$1.45



Marglobe is the most widely used standard tomato. Burpee's Special Fordhook Strain of Marglobe gives finest quality

### 5331 Burpee's Table Talk O

75 days, Slice Burpee's Table Talk Tomato and you will marvel at the structure and the solidity of its firm interior. The large, deep globular fruits average 7 to 8½ ozs. and are bright scarlet, uniform and attractive. Plant is short stemmed and bushy, but with no self-topping tendency.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

#### 6127 Beefsteak—Known as Crimson Cushion

80 days. The largest red-fruited standard tomato and grown extensively by home gardeners. Resembles Ponderosa in many ways except color—Ponderosa has purplish pink skin while Beefsteak is scarlet-red. Vigorous vines produce an abundance of extra large fruits which are more or less ribbed. Flesh deep scarlet with a rich sub-acid flavor.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 70¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

### 5347 Bonny Best—Popular second-early

66 days. Fruits are smooth, solid, bright scarlet-red, slightly flattened globe shape, and borne in clusters of 3 to Particularly adapted for growing in the northern states.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.15

### 5325 Burpee's Gloriana—Very early

55 days. Of the Earliana type, but excelling it in quality, shape, appearance and yield as well as length of bearing season. The scarlet-red, semi-globular fruits average 5 ozs. in weight and are borne in large clusters. Plants are small at beginning of season, medium size when fully grown.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.40; ¼ lb. \$3.85

### 5326 Burpee's Sunnybrook Earliana

58 days. Our improved strain of Earliana and a most valuable extra early tomato for all purposes. Earliness, smoothness, uniformity of fruit and productivity have all been stressed to produce a tomato that is really superior. Fruits are of medium size, scarlet-red, solid and fleshy.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

### ○ Follow the Bull's Eye ○

We have used this mark, **O**, for years to guide the gardener in the selection of vegetable varieties which we believe will give the best results under varied conditions of soil and climate. This mark, **O**, usually called a bull's eye, indicates the varieties which we consider the best of their class and which do well in most all sections.

#### 5064 Marglobe ⊙-A most important tomato Burpee's Special Fordhook Strain

73 days. This remarkable strain is the result of many years of selection on our Fordhook Farms. In making our selections, we have stressed heavy vine growth, uniformity of vine and fruit, yield, large fruit size and resistance to fusarium wilt. Vines are large and vigorous, giving full protection to the crop. Fruits are globeshaped, rich red inside and out, with thick internal and outer walls and small cells; the flavor is slightly sweet. The most widely used main-crop standard tomato.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.15

### 5322 Burpee's Matchless O

78 days. Produce an enormous crop of large, meaty, rich scarlet-red, perfectly smooth, firm, long-keeping fruits, the flavor of which is deliciously sub-acid and tasty. Plants are strong, vigorous growers and highly productive.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

### 5346 Grothen's Globe O—Solid

68 days. Fruits are globe-shaped, with well-rounded shoulders; average 7 ozs. in weight; walls are thick and firm; skin is brilliant red, free from yellow color at the stem end; interior is solid and meaty. Noted for quality.

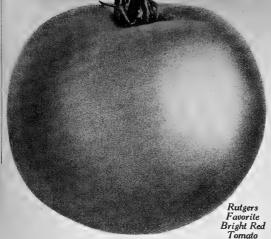
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#### Sizes and Weights of Tomatoes

given in our descriptions are for the general field-run of fruits. Customers often write us that they have produced tomatoes bigger than we state they will grow. This is not surprising for with special care, proper fertilizing, watering, pruning, staking, etc., they may easily do better than we claim. This might readily apply to other vegetables,

Tomatoes belong in every garden—they are easily grown and produce quantities of fruit for the space occupied. Picked when sun ripened, they have a flavor unequalled by any you may buy. As they can be served in so many different ways, one never seems to tire of them.

A pkt. of standard tomato seeds will produce about 100 plants; one oz. 5000 to 6000.



## Large Red TOMATOES

STANDARD VARIETIES, continued

#### 5343 Pritchard - Wilt resistant

70 days. All-America Gold Medal Winner. Also known as Scarlet Topper. Ideal all-purpose red tomato which is highly resistant to fusarium wilt. The "self-topping" habit prevents excessive vine growth. Produces an abundance of smooth, bright red, globe-shaped fruits of medium size.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ½ lb. \$3.85

### 6118 Queens-Highly recommended; early

70 days. A good early, heavy bearing tomato, either grown naturally on the ground or staked. Combines earliness with smooth, deep globular shape, reasonably free of cracks. Fruits are medium in size, averaging 5 ozs. in weight, and of a very pleasing flavor. The outer and inner walls are thick, with small seed cavities which may account for the hard, firm feel of the attractive, bright red fruits. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.05; ¼ lb. \$3.15

### 5061 Rutgers O-Favorite all-purpose tomato

74 days. Good color, fine flavor and large fruits, 61/2 to 71/2 ozs., which ripen from the interior outward, all combine to make Rutgers a most popular tomato for all purposes. Globular, slightly flattened, smooth, bright red tomato with heavy walls and small cells. Vines are vigorous, heavy foliaged and wilt resistant to a high degree. Excellent.

#### Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.15

### 5344 Stokesdale O-Heavy yielder

70 days. Second-early to midseason, medium sized tomato of quality. Fruits are smooth, solid, deep round, bright scarlet throughout. Plant is of vigorous, semi-spreading, open habit and a heavy yielder of delicious fruits.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

#### 5345 Stone-Favorite main crop tomato

81 days. Widely grown in home gardens throughout the country. The quality is good for all purposes. Vines are very large, and well covered with foliage. Fruits are scarlet-red, deep, flattened, smooth and weigh from  $6\frac{1}{2}$  to 7½ ozs. each and freely produced throughout the season.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.15

#### 5348 Valiant—Distinct mild flavor

65 days. Large-fruited, early tomato which, because of its size and yielding ability, is gaining greatly in popularity. The red fruits are medium large, deep globular, meaty; plants are vigorous, medium in size, spreading and somewhat open habit of growth. Superior to the old Earliana.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.10; ¼ lb. \$3.15

Large Pink TOMATOES

For years it has been customary to refer to the following varieties as pink fruited; the only difference between a red tomato and a pink tomato is the skin color. Red tomatoes have a yellowish skin while the pink has a transparent skin. They are usually milder and more delicate in flavor than red fruited tomatoes. The meat of large pink tomatoes is fleshy and contains few seeds.

### 5323 Burpee's Globe O-Extra choice

80 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. Where a maincrop pink tomato of solidity and quality, with high yielding ability, is desired, plant Burpee's Globe. Uniform, medium to large, rich pinkish red, globe-shaped, smooth tomatoes in clusters of 6 to 10; interior is firm, meaty, and free from any core. Contains little or no acid; a shy seeder, the seed cavities being full of solid meat.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

#### 5324 Oxheart—Extra large, deep fruits

86 days. Noted for its delicious and appealing flavor. One of the largest pink tomatoes ever introduced; often weigh 1 lb. and more. The oxheart shape of the pinkish red fruits is most distinct; interior is extremely solid with thick, firm walls and small cavities with few seeds.

#### Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 80¢; oz. \$1.50; ¼ lb. \$4.50

#### 5334 Ponderosa—Immense fruits

83 days. It is not unusual for the purplish pink, deep, somewhat flattened fruits to weigh 24 ozs. and more, though the average runs around 9 ozs. The seed cavities are remarkably small, which accounts for the solid, luscious flesh of a delightful mild flavor. Though the fruits are immense, they are of fine quality, tasty and palatable. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

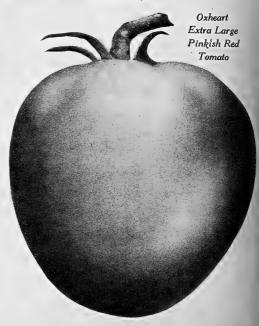
#### BLOSSOM-SET

Just mix with water and spray whole plant. Stops blossom drop; makes blossoms set fruit chemically. Tomatoes ripen earlier, are larger, firmer, more delicious—many SEEDLESS. A hormone spray. U.S.D.A. tested. Easy to use; apply with ordinary sprayer. 9371—4 ozs. 85¢; 9372—1 pint \$2.00

#### **AEROSOL BLOSSOM-SET**

The new convenient way to use BLOSSOM-SET. No mixing required—ready to use—pick up the can and push button and spray.

9225—12 ozs. \$1.95



## PEPPERS—Sweet, mild flesh

## 6083 Burpee's Fordhook O

66 days. An excellent, extremely productive, uniform, high quality, blocky sweet pepper of just the right size and shape for stuffing. Fruits grow 3 to 3½ in. in diameter and 3½ to 3¾ in. deep, nearly round in cross section, with 3 or 4 lobes, glossy dark green skin turning bright red. Flesh is tender, crisp and always sweet.

Pkt. 30¢; ½ oz. 90¢; oz. \$1.55; ¼ lb. \$4.50

## 6088 Burpee's Early Pimento ⊙

65 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Highly desir-65 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Highly desirable for all home uses including quick freeze and for making canned pimentos. Heart-shaped, pendent, and when mature the heavy walled fruits are 3½ in. long and 2½ in. in diameter at the top, smooth, dark green, turning bright red when ripe. The flesh is ¼ to ½ in. thick—sweet and mild. Plants are upright and highly prolific.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.90

## 5048 Burpee's Sunnybrook® O

65 days. Flesh is so sweet and mild that it may be eaten like a raw tomato. Fruits are 2 in. deep and 3 in, in diameter with smooth, glossy dark green skin turning deep red. Best tomato-shaped pepper, very early and productive. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.90

## 5049 Burpee's Ruby King—Large

68 days. Valuable early, sweet pepper for all purposes. Prolific bearer of pendent fruits 4 ½ to 6 in. long and 2 ½ to 3 in. thick at the shoulder; deep green turning to bright red. Flesh is firm, mild, sweet; walls of medium thickness.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$3.25

Peppers are classed in two groups, the sweet or mild and the hot. The sweet fleshed peppers are desirable for slicing, salad and stuffing; they come in different forms—some blocky (Burpee's Fordhook), some heart-shaped (Burpee's Early Pimento), and another like a tomato in shape with a very mild flavor (Burpee's Sunnybrook). All are green at first changing to red when ripe, except Oshkosh, which turns to bright yellow.

Hot fleshed peppers vary in shape from those resembling a cherry to the extremely hot little tabascos and the long red cayenne. They are red when ripe. Fine for sauces, flavoring and pickling.

A pkt. of seed will produce about 50 plants; 1 oz. 1500. Days mentioned in descriptions represent average time required from setting of plants in the garden until the first fruits are ready.

## HOT PEPPERS-Large and Small



Hungarian Wax (above); Long Red Cayenne (below)

5294 Hungarian Wax 65 days. Waxy canary-yellow changing to bright red when ripe, 6 to 8 in. long, 2 in. across.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.15; ¼ lb. \$3.50

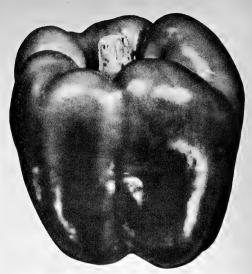
5295 Large Cherry 69 days. Flattened globe fruits, 1½ in. across; deep green turning to cherry-red. Heavy cropper.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.15; ¼ lb. \$3.45

5282 Long Red Cayenne 72 days. Peppers grow 5 in. long and about ½ in. thick; often curled and twisted. Easily dried—Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.20; ¼ lb. \$3.50

5298 Tabasco 92 days. Extremely hot, small, upright fruits, 1½ in. long, ¾ in. thick; pale yellow turning orange-scarlet.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.90



Burpee's Fordhook-All-America Bronze Medal Winner

#### 3 Sweet Peppers for the Home Garden

Burpee's Fordhook, California Wonder and Merrimack Wonder

6721-SPECIAL: One pkt. of each, value 75¢, only 60¢

#### 6081 California Wonder O

75 days. All that you could ask for in a stuffing pepper—good size, blocky form, thick walls and tender flesh of a mild, delicate flavor, Peppers are about 4 in. long and 3 to 31/2 in. in diameter, 3 and 4 lobed, and are borne upright. The skin is smooth, glossy green, turning to bright crimson. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.90

#### 5041 King of the North—Early, prolific

65 days. The large, long shaped peppers are mild and sweet, dark green, turning to a rich red when ripe; slightly tapered, 5 in. and more long, 3 to 4 in. across. Quite early. Pkt.  $20 \dot{\varepsilon}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $65 \dot{\varepsilon}$ ; oz. \$1.15;  $\frac{3}{4}$  lb. \$3.45

#### 5045 Merrimack Wonder—The earliest

60 days. Recommended anywhere, especially where growing season is short. Blocky fruits with moderately thick, sweet, mild flesh; skin is green turning to rich red.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

#### 5293 Oshkosh—Bright yellow when ripe

70 days. Sweet, mild and appealing flavor. Different from other peppers in that the rich dark green skin changes to an attractive, bright canary yellow when ripe. Fruits are smooth, blocky,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in. long,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter at the stem, broad at the base tapering to a blunt point.

Pkt.  $25 \notin$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $75 \notin$ ; oz. \$1.35;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.90

#### 5042 Worldbeater—Heavy producer

73 days. Firm flesh of a mild, sweet flavor; fruits are large, 73 days. Firm nesh of a mild, sweet navor; fruits are large, of uniform shape, three and four lobed, 5 in. long and 3½ in. across. Skin is dark green turning to deep red.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$3.45

#### 5185 Yolo Wonder—Mosaic-resistant

76 days. Four lobed fruits of the California Wonder type with the added advantage of being resistant to tobacco mosaic. Flesh is thick, firm and sweet. Dense foliage. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.40; ¼ lb. \$4.00



Burpee White-Outstanding for flavor

# RADISHES, Burpee's Earliest

## 6096 Burpee White O

Remains crisp and non-pithy for a long time

25 days. Exceptional tenderness, mild flavor, crispness, and remaining long in edible condition, are most outstanding qualities of Burpee White Radish. When young, roots are nearly round, juicy and sweet with pure white skin and flesh. They become flattened in shape as they grow, the diameter increasing with age. Burpee White Radishes are at their best eating stage when 3/4 to 1 in. across. Grown from spring-sown seed, they are crisp, mild and tender even if allowed to grow 2 in. across. The Burpee White Radish is superior in respect to nutrients and low fiber content. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.65

## 6092 Comet O -All-America Medal Winner

25 days. Tender white flesh which remains crisp and solid for a long time. Radishes average 1 in. across, are round, with an occasional olive-shaped, with bright scarlet skin; tops are short. Eating and keeping qualities are excellent. Good forcer. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.95

Burpee's Earliest Scarlet Button Radish



## 6087 Burpee's Rapid Red O

23 days. Small, bright red radishes round as marbles. 34 in, in diameter, with pure white, crisp and delightfully snappy flesh. Early, of fine quality, smooth and attractive in appearance. A fine table radish.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.95

#### 6086 Burpee's Earliest Scarlet Button

25 days. Earliness, bright scarlet color, unusually brittle and delicious quality, mild, delicate flavor, make it a most desirable round radish. Grows about 1 in. in diameter. Skin is thin and tender, flesh is icy white,

crisp and juicy. Most desirable for home gardens.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.95

#### 6252 Champion—Well named

28 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Round or ball shaped, with a slender taproot. Clear, bright scarlet skin. The white flesh remains crisp and delicious without becoming pithy even when the roots reach the diameter of a silver dollar. As with all large radishes, sow seed thinly and thin seedlings to stand 1 to 2 in. apart so as to permit full development of roots.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.65; 1/2 lb. \$2.50

#### 5043 Crimson Giant

29 days. Differs from most others as the roots attain a large size without becoming hollow or pithy. The shape is a perfect globe,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter, with thin, tender skin of deep crimson and solid white flesh which is firm, crisp and mild in flavor. For the biggest radishes, sow seed thinly and then thin the plants to stand about 1 to 2 in. apart in the rows.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.95

#### 5047 Vick's Scarlet Globe

24 days. Crisp and tasty white flesh. Roots are olive-24 days. Crisp and days write user. Agous are driven shaped, I in. across, with bright scarlet skin and medium size tops. Equally good for forcing and outdoors. Radish of attractive shape and color.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.70



Comet Vick's Scarlet Globe

#### Three Extra-Fine Radishes

Burpee White (the world's finest flavored radish) Cherry Belle (quick growing round red)

Sparkler (round scarlet-red with white base) 6661 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 3 excellent radishes, value 65¢ for only

Radishes do best in loose, deeply prepared soil and when growth is quick and steady. Sow seed of the earliest and midseason varieties as early in the spring as soil can be worked. Make additional plantings when the first planting is up and well started. Sow until early summer, then a month before frost. Length of tops, color of roots may vary with soil and growing conditions; shape of roots may also vary with soil, depth of planting and time of sowing. A pkt. of seed will sow about 20 ft. of row; I oz. 100 ft. When sowing beets, carrots, parsley and parsnips, mix in a few radish seeds to mark the rows where the slower-growing vegetables were sown. As the radishes are harvested it will tend to thin out the other crop.

## 6085 Cherry Belle Radish O

22 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Round, smooth, red radishes, ¾ in. across, resemble cherries in shape and color; flesh is white, crisp and firm. Retain their good eating qualities for a long time. This, together with an attractive color, ideal shape, extra-early maturity, slender tap-roots and short tops, make Cherry Belle a most desirable radish.

Burpee's Red Giant

French

Break fast

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.65; 1/2 lb. \$2.50



29 days. Combines large size with tender crispness and mild flavor.

The globular roots even

The globular roots, even though they grow as large as 1½ in. in diameter, are as crisp as ice if grown quickly. Skin is an attractive bright scarlet-red. Flesh is pure white and has a most delicious flavor from the time roots are ½ in. across to full size.

½ in. across to full size.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢;

¼ lb. \$1.65; ½ lb. \$2.50



shape and color

RADISHES

6095 White Icicle

Most popular of all long white radishes

28 days. Icy white, crisp, juicy, perfectly mild flesh of a delightfully sweet flavor. Skin is pure white, thin and tender. Will grow 5 in. in length and are the shape of an icicle. While they will remain firm for a

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Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.95



23 days. Oblong to deep olive-shaped, 1¾ in. long and ¾ to ¾ in. wide. Rose-scarlet skin, shading to clear white in the lower portion. The flesh is white, firm and crisp; juicy, mildly pungent and tender. Tops are very short; radishes show partly above ground which makes them easy to harvest. For the best eating, use when young.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¾ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.95



25 days. The crisp, juicy flesh is pure white and of an agreeable snappy flavor. Round to almost round roots, 1% in. in diameter, upper portion deep scarlet with the lower % or more clear, white; tap-root is small and slender. An attractive radish of good quality and a striking contrast to the all-red or all-white varieties.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; 1/4 lb. 95¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.70

If your garden includes some of each of the three different classes of radishes—earliest, summer and winter varieties—it will keep you supplied with this refreshing vegetable practically all year 'round. You have your choice of many kinds.

## MIDSEASON OR SUMMER RADISH

5304 White Strassburg 40 days. Become ready to use when the others are gone. Roots are 4½ to 5 in. long and 2 in. in diameter at the shoulder, tapering gradually toward the small tap-root. Skin is white and thin; flesh is mildly pungent, white, crisp, tender and of an icy texture. As they grow more slowly, they endure heat better and are valuable for summer use. Remain long in good edible condition. Prefer a moderately light soil. We suggest a deep and thorough preparation of the soil to obtain the best roots.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.15; 1/2 lb. \$1.95

## **FALL AND WINTER RADISHES**

These require cool weather at the finish of their growing season. Sow seed in early summer for fall use; in midsummer for late fall and winter. By storing roots in moist sand in the cellar, fresh, crisp radiabes may be had during the early winter. We offer 2 best kinds. Give the plants plenty of room by thinning out when young to stand 3 in. apart.

5306 Long Black Spanish 60 days. Flesh pure white, crisp, solid and pungent; skin is black. 7 to 10 in. long, 2 to 3 in. thick, nearly the same size at the bottom as the top.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¾ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.55

5051 White Chinese or Celestial 60 days. The least pungent of all winter radishes. Pure white roots, 6 to 8 in. long, with a diameter of 3 in. Flesh is crisp, juicy, icy white and of mild flavor—remain succulent for a long time in the fall and early winter.

Pkt. 20¢; 0z. 45¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.15; 1/2 lb. \$1.95



Sparkler



## **BURPEE'S PUMPKINS**

The very mention of the word "pumpkin" reminds one of the sweet, delicious flavor of pie. Fruits may be used in the fall or stored in a dry, modelactely warm place for use during the winter; the flesh may also be canned. The best pumpkin for general use is Small Sugar. A pkt. of pumpkin seed will plant about 5 groups; 1 oz. 25 groups or so-called "hills."

## 6082 Small Sugar O-Wonderful pie pumpkin

100 days. This is the celebrated New England Pie Pumpkin, the best pumpkin for general use. Flesh is rich orange, meaty, sweet and fine grained; skin is bright orange. Fruits are round, slightly ribbed, of medium size, about 7 in. in diameter. Good keepers.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ½ lb 95¢

5055 **Big Tom** 120 days. Thick, dry, sweet, orange-yellow flesh, desirable for canning and for pies. Large orange fruits weigh 18 lbs. and more each, round and flat on the ends, with a smooth, hard rind. Also known as Connecticut Field. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. 95¢

5053 **Genuine Mammoth** 120 days. The largest weigh 60 lbs. and more. Fruits grow 18 in. in diameter and have an orange-salmon skin. The bright yellow flesh is thick and sweet. Also called **Jumbo** or **King** of the **Mammoths**.

Pkt. 20¢; 0x. 40¢; 1/4 lb. 95¢

5301 Golden Cushaw 115 days. Popular for baking, boiling, canning and pies. Fruits are golden yellow with curved neck and small seed cavity, thus providing plenty of sweet, tender, rich golden yellow flesh. Average weight, 12 lbs.; 18 to 20 in. long.

Pkt. 20¢; 0x. 40¢; 14 lb. 95¢

5137 **Jack-O'-Lantern** 110 days. Special selection out of Conloween carving. Skin is bright orange, smooth and firm; flesh is orange-yellow. Fruits are of medium size and come in round to elongated shapes. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 45¢; [74] lb. \$1.20; lb. \$3.60

5302 Striped Cushaw 115 days. Makes good pies. Flesh is thick, sweet, cream colored. Fruits are curved-neck, creamy white mottled with irregular stripes of green. They grow 18 to 20 in. long and weigh about 12 lbs. each. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; 14 lb. 95¢

Jack-O'-Lantern
Pumpkin provides
fine shapes for
Halloween carving



#### Guernsey Parsnip

## **PARSNIPS**

Tender and delicious late in the fall especially after a frost which adds sweetness to the flavor. A favorite way to serve parsnips is to parboil them, turn gently in brown sugar and butter so as to glaze them to an appetizing reddish gold and to serve them alone or with broiled has

Roots may be stored for winter use, or some may be left in the ground and dug whenever you can get into the soil during the winter or early the following springs. Roots are not injured by freezing and the cold does improve the flavor. A pkt. of seed will sow about 20 ft. of row; an oz. 200 ft.

5284 All American o 95 days. Flesh is white, with small core, tender, fine flavor and superb quality. Roots are smooth, slender, almost white, of medium length, broad shoulder and free from side rootlets. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.15

6075 Guernsey 100 days. Fine grained, tender, sugary flesh of delicate flavor. Skin is light in color and quite smooth. Roots grow 12 in. long, 3 in. across at the shoulder tapering gradually to the tip. Hollow crowned. Pkt. 20¢; 02. 45¢; 1b. \$1.15

5033 Hollow Crown

105 days. Long and smooth—longer than Guernsey but not so broad. Does best in deeply prepared soil. Fully developed roots are 15 in. long and 2¾ in. thick at shoulder and remarkably free from side roots; flesh is fine and white and of good quality. Heavy yielder.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. 55¢



# PEANUTS - Top ranking protein food

It's fun to grow your own peanuts. Roasted peanuts, saited peanut speanut butter and peanut candies are well known to all of us. Have you ever tried them baked as you would beans? Leave the skins on or take them off; they are, however, more palatable if the skins are removed. We supply peanuts in the shell.

6215 Jumbo Virginia ⊙ 120 days. Most productive, extra large peanut of rich flavor, with 1 or 2 large kernels to the pod. In great demand. Vines spread 3½ ft. across. A pkt. will plant 15 ft. of row; 1 lb. 75 ft. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 95¢

6216 Spanish 110 days. Kernels are small, sweet; 2 or 3 to the pod. The dwarf bushes grow close, so are easily cultivated and gathered. Early and a heavy bearer. Widely grown and well known. A pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 95¢

W. ATLEE BURPEE CO., Seed Growers



## SPINACH

One of our most wholesome "greens" in the spring and early fall when cool weather is most favorable for its growth. Also suitable for quick freezing. New Zealand Spinach will supply delicious "greens" throughout the summer and fall. It withstands heat, as does Swiss Chard and Tampala. Why not plant some of each class to supply you with vitamin-rich fresh "greens" throughout the season; canned or frozen for winter use.

The number of days from the sowing of seed until spinach is ready to use applies to spring plantings in vicinity of Philadelphia; this varies in different sections and season when sown. A pkt. of true spinach seed will sow 25 ft. of row; 1 oz. 75 ft.



#### 5058 America-Long standing, savoy leaf

50 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. Improved strain noted for its long standing and heavy yields. Leaves are glossy, deepest dark green, thick, tender, savoyed and crumpled. Plants grow 10 in. across. Slow bolting.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.25

#### 5077 Hybrid No. 7-Erect grower

42 days. Has very large, semi-savoyed, dark green leaves. Upright habit. Resistant to downy mildew. Good for freezing and canning. It is at its best if sown in earliest spring and again in late summer for fall use. Vigorous habit. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$2.75

#### 6091 New Zealand O-Everlasting spinach

70 days. Makes strong plants which resist heat and produce an abundance of fleshy, brittle green leaves and young stem tips that can be picked repeatedly all during the summer and fall. When prepared for the table, it so greatly resembles spinach in appearance and flavor that most per-Tetragonia expansa—a native of New Zealand.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10; ½ lb. \$1.75



Victoria Rhubarb

The succulent stems of rhubarb make an appetizing dessert, either stewed or in pies. Never use rhubarb leaves for food purposes. Red-stalked rhubarbs are sweeter and make a sauce that is more beautiful and more delicious than the usual commercial rhubarb. All varieties are prized for canning as well as freezing. In gathering rhubarb stalks, select the larger ones growing on the outside of plant, grasp them firmly, near the base and with a slight sideways twist, pull them from the crown.

## 5308 Victoria Rhubarb from SEED

Stalks are broad, thick, tender, green shaded with red and of a pleasing tart flavor. Heavy yielder, strong, upright grower and reliably hardy. From seed sown this spring, usable stalks will be ready two years hence; for quicker results plant roots. A pkt. of seed will sow 10 ft. of row; oz. 75 ft. of row.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.60

## RHUBARB ROOTS

Planted in early spring, roots will furnish a moderate cutting of stalks the next spring; regular cuttings thereafter. All varieties are prized for canning as well as freezing. Rhubarb roots can be shipped outside the Continental U.S. only at the customer's risk,

6914 MacDonald Stalks are of very fine quality, excellent flavor, and brilliant red color; the skin is tender and peeling is not required. Sauces or pies have a pleasing, rich pink color. 2 roots for \$1.60; 5 for \$3.75; 10 for \$6.80

6918 Valentine Stalks are of an attractive, deep red color, 18 to 22 in. long, 1 to 1½ in. broad and 1 in. thick. They are of deliciously sweet flavor and of supreme quality.

2 roots for \$1.90; 5 for \$4.50; 10 for \$8.50

6912 Victoria Broad, thick, tender green stalks shaded with red. It has a delicious, pleasing tart flavor.
2 roots for 90¢; 5 for \$2.15; 10 for \$3.80;
25 roots or more @ 30¢ each; 250 roots or more @ 25¢ each

#### 6093 Bloomsdale Long Standing @

48 days. Heavy yielder of delicious "greens." The glossy dark green leaves are intensely crinkled, in addition to being of a very heavy texture. Valuable for spring or fall sowing. The rather erect plants remain in the rosette stage for a long time without bolting.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.25

5054 Nobel - Giant thick, smooth leaved

49 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. The largest as well as the heaviest producer of all, with thick, smooth, pointed green leaves that are quite succulent, crisp, tender and of extremely delicious flavor. Long standing.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.25

#### 5052 Virginia Blight Resistant

42 days. A greatly improved selection, the leaves of which are large, dark green, extremely crisp and tender. It is especially recommended for planting in soil where blight or mosaic disease is present because of its high resistance to it. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 35¢; 1/4 lb. 90¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.25

#### TAMPALA OR FORDHOOK SPINACH

5341 Valuable "green" that stands hot weather. Within 6 to 8 weeks from sowing, Fordhook Spinach is ready to use when entire plants make the most delicious "greens" either raw as a salad or cooked like spinach. The young leaves are so tender they require only a few minutes to cook; stems may be cooked like asparagus, their flavor like artichokes.

As a cooked, canned or quickly frozen "green," Ford-As a cooked, canned or quickly frozen green, Ford-hook Spinachis, in the opinion of many, superior to regular spinach or Swiss Chard—more appetizing color, more delicious flavor, shrinks very little, holds its dark green color better and is easier to prepare for use fresh or frozen.

Pkt. 25¢; 14, oz. 31.00; oz. 33.00

## SORREL

5309 Narrow Leaved 60 days. Excellent in salads, for flavoring soups, or it may be cooked like spinach. Leaves are long, bright green with bitter-sweet flavor. Cutting may begin in about two months after sowing the seed. Being hardy, plants will continue to produce leaves for 3 or 4 years.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. 95¢

## SUNFLOWER

For chicken feed as well as being ornamental

6111 Mammoth Russian are plump, well filled with meat, and have a thin shell; make valuable food for poultry. Stalks are quite tall and they are excellent for backgrounds or screens. Pkt. 205; 1/2 lb. 45¢; 1/b. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.15

O Gollow the Bull's Eye

If you are not thoroughly posted as to which varieties of vegetables to choose as the most suitable for your particular section, we suggest that you make your selection from those marked with the bull's eye. They will give best results under varied conditions of soil and climate.



## Summer SQUASH

In descriptions we give the average size of fruits when fully grown. For the best eating, summer squashes are used while very young and tender; in fact, Early White and Crystal Bell are delicious if cooked whole when very tiny—an inch or more across, Generally speaking, a suminch or more across. Generally speaking, a suminch or more across. mer squash is too old for good eating when the thumb nail does not readily pierce the skin without pressure. Varieties of bush-like growth without pressure. Varieties of bush-like growth take up much less space in the garden than the running kinds and are especially adaptable for the small garden; Cocozelle and Zucchini are very popular bush types. A pkt. of seed will plant 8 to 10 groups; an oz. 30 to 40 groups or so-called "hills."



Burpee's Crystal Bell An improved Early White Bush



Burpee Hybrid Zucchini

## 6236 Burpee Hybrid Zucchini @ Early; prolific

50 days. True first generation  $(F_1)$  hybrid of the Fordhook Zucchini type, a week earlier and a heavier yielder. Shiny medium-green cylindrical fruits 12 in. and more in length but are at their best eating stage when 6 to 8 in. long. Flavor is excellent and texture most tender whether boiled, baked or fried. Keep fruits picked to insure a continuous yield all summer. Medium-sized, bush-like compact plants.

Pkt. 35¢; oz. \$1.10; 1/4 lb. \$2.90

6103 Early Golden Summer Crookneck © 53 days. The most popular summer, curved neck squash. Fruits are meaty with small crookneck, bright yellow skin and salmon-orange flesh with small crookneck, bright yellow skin and samou-orange using delicious flavor and fine texture. Suitable for freezing. At their best flavor when about 4 in. long. Full sized fruits grow 10 in. long, 3 in. thick, the skin becoming deep golden orange and much warted. Weigh 3 lbs. Bush-like, highly productive plants.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.25

6128 Burpee's Crystal Bell 60 days. An improved Early White Bush. The white flesh is thicker and deeper, the fruits ex-

tremely uniform in size, shape and habit. Deep bell-shaped, with a light scallop around the lip of the bell. Skin is greenish white quickly changing to pure white as fruits develop. Will grow to 7 in. across and 5 to 6 in. deep but best used when small. The 7 in. across and 5 to 6 in. deep out best used which shall the plant habit is more bush-like than Early White Bush, which often tends to vine out as the season progresses. A general favorite.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 85¢; ½ lb. \$2.25

6106 Early Prolific Straightneck 50 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. More easily prepared for the table than curve neck squash. Fruits are creamy yellow and edible from the time they reach a length of 4 to 6 in, until they are 12 to 14 in. long and 3 ½ in, thick, Bush plants.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.50

6101 Burpee's Fordhook Zucchini O 57 days. All-America Winner. At best table stage, when fruits are 8 to 12 in. long; they are cylindrical, smooth, deep blackish green, straight to very slightly curved. If used at this size, the skin need not be removed. Flesh is creamy white and extremely tender; suitable for freezing. Allowed to grow, fruits may attain a length of 2 ft. and a diameter of 3½ in. Bush-like, vigorous plants. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 85¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.25



Early Prolific Straightneck



out the season. Outstanding extra early.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ¼ lb. \$1.85

5063 Cocozelle Bush (Italian Marrow) 60 days. Cylindrical, dark green fruits striped lighter green, 14 in. and more in length, 4 to 5 in. thick; in best edible condition if used when 6 to 8 in. long. Greenish white, firm, tender flesh. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.50

6102 Early White Bush (White Patty Pan) 54 days. Pale green, rather flat fruits changing to creamy white, 7 in. across, 3 in. deep, and scalloped around the edges; flesh is milk-white and most delicious for stewing or boiling if used when small. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.25

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Cocozelle Bush

## Fall and Winter SQUASH

The fall and winter squashes produce hard-shelled fruits which may be stored for use during the winter. Valuable for baking, boiling, making pies, etc. Many of the varieties here listed make excellent 'ynumpkin' pie and some are canned extensively for that purpose. Unlike summer squashes, fruits of the fall and winter varieties must remain on the vine until fully matured; gather them before frost, leaving part of the stem attached to the fruit. Handle arerully and avoid bruising. Easily stored in any dry place. Keep best if temperature of 70 to 75° F, is maintained for a week or two after which it should be held at 45 to 50° F. A pkt. of seed will plant 6 to 8 groups, an oz. 20 to 30 groups or "hills."

6115 Butternut © 85 days. Exceptionally meaty. Fruits are 10 to 12 in. long and 4 to 5 in. across; bottle shaped, smooth, dark buff colored skin and a hard shell. The flesh is orange, dry, fine textured, and of a sweet nutry flavor. Good keeper. Vines are quite resistant to squash borer as stems are so tough as to normally prevent the female from inserting her eggs into the stem.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.85

6107 Buttercup 105 days. Turban-shaped fruits 41/2 in. thick and 61/2 in. across; weigh 4 to 5 lbs., blossom end marked with a prominent "button." Skin is dark green, with silvery white stripes and spots of gray. Thick orange flesh, cooks dry and sweet; most pleasing, rich flavor. Good keeper. Distinctly different shape. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.50

5315 Golden Delicious 105 days. Top-shaped, medium-size fruits 11 in. long, 8 in. across, weighing about 7 lbs. each. Skin is reddish orange; the flesh is orange, sweet, thick and fine-grained. Highly desirable for canning and freezing on account of its moderately dry flesh. Reliable keeper. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

5056 Blue Hubbard 120 days. Attractive blue-gray, slightly ridged fruits which grow larger than the True Hubbard. The shell is rough and very hard, so keeping qualities are good; flesh is bright yellow-orange, fine-grained, dry and exceptionally sweet. Desirable for freezing. Squashes grow 15 to 18 in. long and 9 to 12 in. across; average weight 15 lbs. Fruits bulge at the middle, tapering sharply at each end; skin is slightly ridged.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50



Butternut Delicious, handy sized. long storage squash.



Buttercup

#### 6105 True Hubbard O

Excellent quality

115 days. The popular winter squash for all purposes, especially for winter use, for if properly stored, will keep until spring. We offer our own improved strain; it represents the perfection of winter squashes for pies, baking, boiling, etc. Fairly large fruits with dark bronze-green warted skin, and attractive deep orange-yellow flesh which is fine grained, sweet and dry. The fruits will grow 12, in. long and 10 in. thick; weigh about 12 lbs.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.50



True Hubbard

# **SQUASH**—Especially desirable for baking

For Summer Use or Winter Storage

Fruits may be used before the skin hardens, but the quality of the fine grained, sweet flesh will be better if they are allowed to form a hard shell; splendid for winter storage.

## 6112 Burpee's Bush Table Queen O (Acorn)

80 days. Fruits are similar in size, shape and color to those of the green fruited Table Queen vine variety, described below; the flesh is of better quality. Plants, however, are of semi-bush growth, produce just as many fruits per plant as the vine variety but take less space in the garden so may be planted closer. Excellent keeper. Developed on Fordhook Farms. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 85¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.25

6108 Royal Acorn O 82 days. A family-size Table Queen, with acornshaped fruits, 71/2 in. long, 6 in. across, dull dark green in color, turning dull orange after a period of storage. Flesh is fine flavored, up to 11/4 in. thick, dry and sweet, with baking quality as good as Table Queen. Fruits may be used for boiling when immature, but for the best quality they should be allowed to fully develop. Good keepers. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

5057 Table Queen Vine 85 days. Also known as Acorn and Des Moines. Acorn-shaped, 5 in. long and 4 in. thick; deeply ribbed, dark green skin and thick orange flesh that cooks dry and sweet. Baked halves are popular for individual servings. Good keepers. Extremely productive.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50





Fordhook Giant Swiss Chard





## SWISS CHARD—SUMMER GREENS

A healthful and nutritious, easily grown vegetable. Leaves are cooked and served like spinach and the mid-ribs like asparagus, or both may be cooked together. Leaf-stalks make delicious fritters. Cutting may be done by removing outer leaves of various plants, thus allowing the center and remaining leaves to grow, or entire plants may be cut off a couple inches above the crown and new leaves will be produced. Chard stands hot weather and is an abundant, continuous yielder. Suitable for freezing. A pkt. of seed will sow 25 ft. of row; an oz. 100 ft.

#### 6195 Burpee's Fordhook Giant O-Tall

60 days. Leaves are rich dark green, much crumpled and savoyed, thick, fleshy and make the most tender "greens." The pearly white stalks, 2½ in. across, make an excellent dish prepared like asparagus as do the broad mid-ribs of the leaves. Giant, heavy yielding plants—Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.75

#### 6202 Burpee's Rhubarb Chard-Crimson colored stalks

60 days. A Swiss Chard, the stalks of which look like rhubarb, being bright but delicate, translucent crimson; the rich color extends out through the veins into the dark green, heavily crumpled leaves. The leaf-stalks, considered by many as the most delicious part, and the leaves have a sweet, tasty flavor when cooked.

Pkt. 25¢; 0x. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.30; ½ lb. \$2.35

5134 Lucullus 60 days. Popular variety for which some culinary experts claim first place on account of its mild, spinach-like flavor. Light green, heavily savoyed, crumpled leaves grow to large size. The thick, broad white stalks are splendid for creaming and also make appetizing fritters.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¾ lb. 95¢; ¾ lb. \$1.70

## **TURNIPS**

At their best when growth is made during cool weather. Plant Extra Early Milan in the spring for its roots and Foliage or Shogoin for its tops which are much used for "greens." Sow any variety in late summer for fall use or storing of the roots for use during the winter. Frost improves the flavor of foliage turnips. A pkt. of seed will plant about 50 ft. of row; an oz. will plant about 250 ft. To save space some gardeners broadcast seed between rows of corn or other cultivated crops.

## 6121 Purple-Top White Globe O-Widely grown

55 days. The most popular white fleshed turnip. Flesh is white, firm, crisp, and of mild-sweet flavor, raw or cooked. Roots are nearly round, smooth, bright purplish red on the upper part which extends above the surface; the lower portion is creamy white. Will grow to large size, 4 to 5 in. across, but are of best quality if used when 2 to 3 in. in diameter—Pkt. 20¢; oz. 35¢; 1/4 lb. 55¢; 1/4

## 6244 Just Right-All-America Silver Medal Winner

NEW TILES WEAD 60 days for roots; 27 days for foliage, First-generation (F.) hybrid with fine flavor in both roots and tops. When fully grown the smooth, white, flattened globe-shaped roots measure 5 in. across and 3½ in. thick but may of course, be used when much smaller. The heavy, cut-leaf foliage may be used for "greens" at any time after 4 weeks from the sowing of the seed.

Pkt. 35¢; oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$3.00; 1/2 lb. \$5.00; lb. \$8.00

## 5073 Extra Early Purple-Top Milan-Earliest of all

45 days. The earliest and well adapted to spring and fall planting. Flattened-roots, 3 to 4 in. across with smooth white skin tinted purple on top. Flesh is white, tender and delicate when young. The plants have small, upright, strap leaf tops.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 35¢; ½ lb. 55¢; ½ lb. 55¢; b. \$1.75

#### 5074 Golden Ball-Sweetest yellow fleshed turnip

60 days. The best yellow-fleshed turnip. Perfectly globe-shaped, bright creamy yellow turnips up to 4 in. across, with pale amber-colored, fine grained sweet flesh.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 65¢; ½ lb. 95¢; lb. \$1.75

## 5076 Foliage or Shogoin Turnip—Quick growing

A double purpose turnip, 30 days to use foliage; 70 days for roots. Tops are large, 18 to 20-in. tall, plentiful, tender, and of a mild, delicate flavor. Also produces a white turnip, 3 to 4 in. thick, flattened globe-shaped, with white skin and flesh.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 30¢; ½ lb. 65¢; ½ lb. 95¢; lb. \$1.75

## RUTABAGA

The flavor of rutabaga is preferred by many to that of turnips. Housewives often refer to them as "big yellow turnips" or "Canadian turnips," names sometimes used in the produce and shipping trade. Best used as a fall crop. A pkt. of seed will sow about 50 ft. of row; an oz. 250 ft.

## 6126 Burpee's Purple-Top Yellow O

90 days. The leading rutabaga for table use during fall and winter. Roots are large, smooth, globe-shaped with deep purplish red coloring in the upper portion above ground, light yellow below. Sweet, fine-grained, yellow flesh cooking to bright orange. A good keeper for winter storing. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ½ lb. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.05; lb. \$1.60

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## 6264 Burpee's Fordhook Hybrid O

74 days. A top quality, early, productive, first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) Hybrid Watermelon with bright red flesh and a moderate number of small seeds. Fruits are dark glossy green, nearly round, and weigh from 12 to 14 lbs. An outstanding family zed melon for home gardens. Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.40; 3 pkts. \$1.95; \( \frac{1}{4} \) oz. \$2.25 sized melon for home gardens.

#### 5253 Burpee's Halbert Honey

85 days. Very sweet, crisp, bright crimson flesh of the most luscious flavor. Skin is deep green with fine veining. Fruits are large, 18 to 20 in. long, 12 in. across, and weigh up to 30 lbs. each.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

6245 Charleston Gray — Wilt resistant 85 days: One of the newer watermelons that we can highly recommend for it combines fine eating quality with resistance to fusarium wilt, anthracnose and sunburn. Flesh is red, crisp and free of coarse fiber; skin is light greenish gray. Mature Charleston Gray melons grow 24 in. long, 10 in. across and reach weights of 28 to 35 lbs. each.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.75

6078 Congo—All-America Winner.

90 days. Melons are oblong, blocky, dark green faintly striped lighter green; flesh is bright red, crisp and sweet. Congo is highly resistant to anthracnose. The melons weigh from 30 to 40 lbs.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

5254 Early Northern Sweet—Small

5254 Lany Northern Sweet—Small 78 days. Especially adapted to Northern states and the Canadian provinces where the growing season is short. Fruits are small, weighing only 10 to 12 pounds, nearly round, medium green with a suggestion of darker green striping. The flesh is bright pink, with fine texture and of good, appetizing flavor.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.50

#### 6068 New Hampshire Midget O

70 days. All-America Gold Medal Winner. Exone days. Au-America Gold Medal Winner. Ex-tremely early which will be especially appreciated by New England gardeners. Midget size—about that of a cantaloupe. 7 in. long, 6 in. across, weigh up to 6 lbs.; an ideal size for putting into a refirserator. Skin striped dark green on light green; rind thin; flesh strawberry-red, solid and sweet. Vines are small, but vigorous and heavy yielding.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.75

5252 Stone Mountain 88 days. Known as **Dixie Belle.** A high quality oval-round water-melon with grayish green smooth skin and beautiful deep crimson flesh without any white or stringiness in the heart. The average melon weighs 45 lbs. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

6234 Sugar Baby 75 days. Distinctive ice-box variety about 8 in. in diameter. The small, round fruits are of good quality and excellent for home gardens. Flesh is medium red, fine textured and sweet flavored and not excessively seedy. Has a very dark green, thin, hard, tough rind.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

#### 6065 Dixie Queen, Wilt Resistant 🔾

90 days. Flesh is delicious—deep red when ripe, very sweet and free from fiber. Fruits have light green skin striped dark green; grow 15 in. long and 12 in. across and weigh 30 to 35 lbs. Fruits are quite similar to the original Dixie Queen with the added advantage that the vines are highly resistant to wilt. Rind is thin but strong.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

Burpee's Sunnybrook Hybrid discontinued: we recommend Burpee's Fordhook Hybrid.

## WATERMELONS



Watermelons—your choice of round, oval, or long and pink or red flesh. If you live in the North, plant the quickest maturing varieties (New Hampshire Midget, Early Northern Sweet or Burpee's Fordhook Fi Hybrid, If you have not been able to grow melons, because disease prevented non-resistant varieties from producing a crop, try Charleston Gray or Dixie Queen. A pkt. of seed will plant 6 groups or "hills"; 1 oz. about 30 groups.



5032 Kleckley's Sweet Improved 88 days. Also known as Wondermelon. Splendid melon of excellent quality. Flesh is dark red, of fine texture, juicy and delectable flavor; skin is attractive, dark glossy green. Fruits grow 12 in. in diameter, 24 in. long and weigh up to 40 lbs. each. Favorite for home gardens.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50



Dixie Queen, Wilt Resistant

# Burpee's Lawn Grass Seed

The best time to start your lawn, or to repair it, is during the cool weather of early spring or in early fall. The weather at these times weather of early spring of in early fair. The weather at these lines is favorable for the development of domestic grass but unfavorable for most weeds and wild annual grasses. Why not plan now to have a luxuriant lawn that will add to the beauty of your home? The Burpee leaflet, "GN 43 Construction and Maintenance of the Lawn," will be sent free upon your request. For new lawns, sow 1 lb. of grass seed to 200 sq. ft. of space; use 100 to 150 lbs. per acre. 1 lb. MERION Kentucky Bluegrass is enough for 500 to 750 sq. ft. To improve old lawns, use half of these quantities.



This beautiful lawn on Burpee's Fordhook Farms was produced from Burpee's Fordhook Finest Lawn Grass Seed

## 4914 Burpee's Fordhook Finest Lawn Grass Seed

Best Mixture This blend is especially prepared from the highest quality seeds that can be produced. It makes a smooth, green, velvety lawn with a thick bottom, free from clumps. Only the very best fineleaved and deep-rooted varieties of the most suitable grasses for making an even, thick mass of sod are used in this mixture. Sure to produce the best results under average conditions of soil and climate. A small quantity of white clover has been included since it helps to prevent the soil from washing.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $80 \notin$ ; lb. \$1.55; 2 lbs. \$3.05; 5 lbs. \$7.25; 10 lbs. \$14.00; 15 lbs. \$20.25; 25 lbs. \$32.50; 50 lbs. \$62.50; 100 lbs. \$120.00

## 4903 Fordhook Finest, Treated Seed

Same high quality mixture as above treated with Arasan and Rootone. Arasan protects seed from seed decay, damping-off, blights and root rots. Rootone helps to develop a quicker, heavier, thicker, drought-resistant turf the first season. Well worth the extra cost.

½ lb. 85¢; lb. \$1.60; 2 lbs. \$3.15; 5 lbs. \$7.50;

10 lbs. \$14.50; 15 lbs. \$2.00; 25 lbs. \$33.75;

50 lbs. \$65.00; 100 lbs. \$125.00

## 4921 MERION Kentucky Bluegrass

Dense, dark green lawn grass resistant to heat, drought and leaf spot. This new grass spreads more quickly than ordinary bluegrass, has deeper roots and can be moved more closely without harming in 1/2 lb. \$1.80; lb. \$3.25; 2 lbs. \$6.30; 5 lbs. \$15.25; 10 lbs. \$29.00

4913 Shady Nook A specially prepared mixture suited for planting under shade trees or in shaded corners where grass usually does not thrive.

1/2 lb. 75¢; lb. \$1.45; 2 lbs. \$2.85; 5 lbs. \$6.75; 10 lbs. \$13.00; 15 lbs. \$18.75; 25 lbs. \$30.00; 50 lbs. \$57.50; 100 lbs. \$110.00

4905 Terrace Sod A blend of grasses which are deep rooted to withstand drought and hold the soil firmly and thus preventing it from washing away.

1/2 lb. 80¢; lb. \$1.55; 2 lbs. \$3.05; 5 lbs. \$7.25;

10 lbs. \$14.00; 15 lbs. \$20.25; 25 lbs. \$32.50;

50 lbs. \$62.50; 100 lbs. \$120.00

## 4911 Burpee's Sunnybrook®

selected grasses that will give a long lasting deep emerald-green sod selected grasses that will give a long labeling deep character of velvety texture. Does not include any white clover.

½ lb. 70¢; lb. \$1.25; 2 lbs. \$2.40; 5 lbs. \$5.75;

10 lbs. \$11.00; 15 lbs. \$15.75; 25 lbs. \$25.00;
50 lbs. \$47.50; 100 lbs. \$90.00

4916 Putting Greens Composed entirely of Bent ance of Creeping Bent. It makes a smooth, even turf that will

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½ lb. \$1.20; lb. \$2.25; 2 lbs. \$4.45; 5 lbs. \$10.75;

10 lbs. \$21.00; 15 lbs. \$30.75; 25 lbs. \$50.00;

50 lbs. \$97.50; 100 lbs. \$190.00

4912 Golf Links Only fine-bladed grasses which will heavy trampling are used in this mixture. Particularly suited for fairways and lawns subject to hard use. Contains no white clover. 1/2 lb. 85¢; lb. \$1.60; 2 lbs. \$3.15; 5 lbs. \$7.50; 10 lbs. \$14.50; 15 lbs. \$21.00; 25 lbs. \$33.75; 50 lbs. \$65.00; 100 lbs. \$125.00

4904 White Dutch Clover Gardeners who 4904 white Dutch Clover Gardeners where the prefer an extra of 4 ozs. to every 2 lbs. of grass seed. It is advisable to sow separately in order to effect a better and more even distribution.

1/4 lb. 45¢; ½ lb. 80¢; lb. \$1.50; 2 lbs. \$2.95; 5 lbs. \$7.00; 10 lbs. \$13.50

## GRASSES FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES-ALL PREPAID IN THE U. S.

4917 RED TOP GRASS Rapid growing. Does well on a variety of soils and conditions. Creeping habit of growth; perennial.

½ lb. 80¢; lb. \$1.45; 2 lbs. \$2.80;
5 lbs. \$6.85; 10 lbs. \$13.20

4906 ENGLISH RYE GRASS Perennial "nurse" crop grass. ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 55¢; 2 lbs. \$1.05; 5 lbs. \$2.50; 10 lbs. \$4.50 4956 CREEPING RED FESCUE GRASS For sowing on sandy soil; does well in shaded places. ½ lb. 65¢; lb. \$1.15; 2 lbs. \$2.20; 5 lbs. \$5.25; 10 lbs. \$10.00

4902 KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS For lawn and pasture. ½ lb. 90¢; lb. \$1.65; 2 lbs. \$3.15; 5 lbs. \$7.65; 10 lbs. \$14.80

4907 SEASIDE BENT GRASS Ideal for a good lawn. ½ lb. \$1.35; lb. \$2.50; 2 lbs. \$4.80; 5 lbs. \$11.50; 10 lbs. \$22.00

4915 DOMESTIC RYE GRASS Annual "nurse" grass where a quick growth is wanted. ½ lb. 25¢; lb. 45¢; 2 lbs. 75¢; 5 lbs. \$1.60; 10 lbs. \$2.90

# **Insecticides and Fungicides**

## Valuable Helps for a Satisfactory Garden. ALL SENT PREPAID anywhere in U. S. CONTROLS FOR CHEWING AND SUCKING INSECTS AND FUNGUS DISEASES

#### **All Round Spray or Dust**

All KOURD Spruy of DUSI
Superb combination of .75% Rotenone,
5% DDT; 15% Ziram; 20% Sulphur—a
complete and effective control for chewing
and sucking insects, also disease on fruit
trees, flowers, vegetables and ornamentals.
9112—1 lb. canister \$1.45;
9409—3 lb. bag \$2.95

#### **Aramite 15-W**

Most effective miticide. Just mix it with water and spray on evergreens, roses, tomatoes or other plants. Kills mites and little red spiders. Will not burn foliage.

9383—4 ozs. \$1.10; 9396—12 ozs. \$2.20

#### Arsenate of Lead

(Powdered) For use as a spray or a dust in the control of chewing and leaf-eating in-sects. It is recommended for use on fruit trees, vegetables and ornamentals; also an excellent means of grubproofing lawns.

9275—1 lb. canister \$1.15

## Black Leaf 40

(Activated)

new improved wetting and spreading A new improved wetting and spreading incotine sulphate containing 40% incotine. Easy to use—no need to mix with soap. Use as a spray to kill aphis, leaf hoppers, most thrips and other soft-bodied sucking insects. 9122—2 ozs. \$1.20; 9124—12 ozs. \$3.75

#### **Bordeaux Mixture**

(Powdered) A copper fungicide for control (Powdered) A copper rungicale for control of diseases, such as blight, mildew and rust on fruit trees, vegetables, strawberries, grapes; also many flowers and ornamentals.

9271—1 lb. canister \$1.15

#### 6% Chlordane Dust

Powerful and effective insecticide dust for Powerful and effective insecticide dust for control of many crawling insects in the garden, home, lawn and gardening soil. Controls ants, cutworms, earwigs, chiggers, Japanese beetles, grubs, etc. Effective on contact and when eaten by pests. Excellent for control of thrips on bulbs and foliage, proceedings of the control of the contr

## 45% Chlordane Spray

Widely accepted for control of destructive lawn and garden insects such as ants, chiggers, Japanese beetle larvae, cutworms, slugs, etc. Destroys household pests such as roaches, silverish, crickets, etc.

9111-8 ozs. \$1.25; 9142-1 pint \$2.25

#### **Du Pont's Fermate**

Effective control for black spot and rust on roses. Controls scab, black and brown rots on apples, peaches, pears and grapes. Arrests molds, mildews, anthracnose and leaf spot on vegetable, flower and ornamental plants. 9231—8 oz. canister \$1.25

#### Du Pont's 50% Wettable Methoxychlor

This marvelous new insecticide spray be-cause of its low order of toxicity to humans can be used close to harvest time. Safe on the most tender plants. Kills bean, potato, and Japanese beetles and many other insects. 9281-8 oz. canister \$1.35

#### **Dusting Sulphur**

Finely divided 95% sulphur fungicide and miticide dust containing a wetting agent. Can be used as a dust or spray. Recommended for control of mildew, black spot, etc. on roses; certain mites on flowers. Very effective for chigger control in lawns. 9166-2 lbs. \$1.10

#### 5% DDT Dust

Highly effective and efficient ready-to-use insecticide for use in the control of Japanese beetle, flea beetle, leaf hopper, European corn borer, corn earworm, and other external chewing insects on fruits, vegetables, flowers and ornamentals. Use on bulbs. 9266—1 lb. canister 80¢; 9403—4 lb. bag \$1.70

#### 50% DDT

A concentrated DDT wettable powder that kills many insects on fruit and shade trees, corn, potatoes, and other row crops. On lawns controls cutworms, Japanese beetles, white grubs and others. The most economical form of DDT in common use. 9182—1 lb. \$1.25; 9405—4 lbs. \$2.65

#### **Evergreen Spray**

Contact and residual insecticide concentrate containing 5% Lindane, 12.5% Malathion and 5% DDT. Controls all common insects such as Aphids, Bagworms, Japanese Beetles, Juniper Webworms, Tent Caterpillars, etc. affecting evergreens, shade trees, and ornamentals. Dilute one pint of spray to 200 pints of water. 9191—8 ozs. \$1.65; 9232—1 pint \$2.75

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A modern spray to provide disease- and worm-free fruit. Contains 12% Captan, 12% Methoxychlor and 6% Malathion. Outstanding for aphid, mite and scale con-Outstanding for aprild, finite and scale con-trol, brown rot, scab, etc. on apple, pear, peach, cherry and other fruit trees. 9235—12 oz. canister \$1.45; 9402—2 lb. \$3.10

## **Lime Sulfur Spray**

A dormant spray. Contains 29% Calcium polysulfides. To be used before sap returns as a clean-up spray for scale, insects, rusts, mildew on fruit trees, rose bushes, shrubs and nursery stock.

9234 --1 quart tin \$1.25; 9503-1 gallon \$3.50

## 5% Lindane Spray

Positive, quick-acting insecticide for the control of hard-to-kill bugs on both foliage and flowers, either indoors or out. Also used for early spraying of fruits and vegetables. Good residual spray for fly control. Con-Good residual spiay soc., trois turi and soil insects.

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9241—1 pint \$1.95

## 50% Malathion Spray

Phosphate spray. Controls aphids, mites, Phosphate spray. Controls appinds, mix-mealy bugs, scale and many insects attack-ing flowers, vegetables, evergreens, orna-mentals, fruit and shade trees. Malathion is excellent for fly and mosquito control. 3314—1 oz. 50¢; 3226—8 ozs. \$2.15 323—4 ozs. \$1.30; 9366—1 pint \$3.25

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#### 1% Rotenone Dust (or Spray)

Most effective insect control right up until harvest time without fear of harmful residues. Controls a wide range of chewing and sucking insects on beans, cabbage, cuand sucking insects on beans, cabbage, ca-cumbers and many other vegetables; also flowers. Will not injure tender plant foliage. Recommended for fleas and lice on pets. 9221—1 lb. canister 85¢; 9276—4 lb. bag \$2.15

Rose Dust (or Spray)

Superb combination insecticide and fungi-Superb combination insecticide and tungi-cide. Contains 7% Captan for black spot; 75% Capryl for powdery mildew; 4% Mal-athion for aphids, thrips and many other insects; and 5% DDT for beetles, etc. 9285—8 oz. Squeeze Duster \$1.45; 9313—1 lb. Sifter canister (refillable) \$1.50; 9408—4 lb. \$4.45

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Complete universal tree wound dressing for fungus diseases. Corrects and prevents rot in the crotches of trees and injuries as well as the wounds of pruning. Also a comwell as the worlds of printing. Also a complete protection against insect work. Requires no mixing; nonpoisonous. Easily applied with brush. 100% active ingredients. 9324—1½ pint 85¢; 9321—1 pint \$1.25

## Tri-ogen Rose Spray

An insecticide, fungicide and plant stimu-lant. Mildew and black spot easily con-trolled in addition to chewing and sucking insects including red spider. We offer 4 sizes: E Kit protects 6 to 10 plants; A Kit 4 Sizes: E RIT protects of to Diants; A RIT 12 to 20 plants; B Kit 50 to 80 plants and C Kit 100 to 160 plants. 9243—E Kit \$2.15; 9171—B Kit \$6.75 9245—A Kit \$2.95; 9417—C Kit \$10.75 9131—12 oz. Aerosol \$1.65

## PLANT FOODS, HORMONES and PEST CONTROLS

FERTILIZERS, PLANT FOODS, ETC.

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Just mix with water and spray whole plant. Stops blossom drop; makes blossoms set fruit chemically. Tomatoes ripen earlier, are Fruit chemically. 1 omatoes ripen earner, are larger, firmer, more delicious—many seed-less. A hormone spray. U.S.D.A. tested. Easy to use; apply with ordinary sprayer or use Aerosol, the new convenient way. 9371—4 ozs. 85¢; 9372—1 pint \$2.00 9225—12 oz. Aerosol \$1.95

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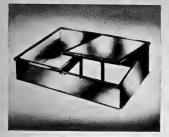


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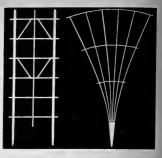
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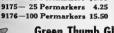
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9196- 10 Permarkers \$1.95 9175 — 25 Permarkers 4.25



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Made from a special vinyl plastic treated fabric that keeps dirt from coming through on your hands yet permits the hands to breathe while you work. Besides giving you this protection from soil stains, bruises and scratches, the vinyl treatment makes the gloves wear several

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Square, open bottom pots of waterproof mold-resistant fibre treated with nutrients to assure vigorous, well-balanced growth of seedlings early in season, Roots are not disseedings early in season. Roots are not dis-turbed when young plants are transplanted into the garden from bands, thus no shock or setback to plant.

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Low-priced, hanging feeder made from durable, high-impact plastic. Clear view seed reservoir locks to base with easy twist action. All around



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## Burpee's Wild Bird Food

9419-\$5,45 each

Special balanced blend of the kinds of seed to give birds the proper diet in those cold winter months. Feed the birds in the winter winter months. Heed the birds in the winter and they will repay you handsomely next summer by eating countless insects in your garden. For easy feeding use one of our special feeders. 9421—5 lb. bag \$1.35

## Burpee Peat Pots—Round

Start your plants, seeds, seedlings in the remarkable molded-type pot made in Norway and composed of 75% peat and 25% wood fiber to which soluble fertilizers have been



9415-50 Pack 21/4 in. \$1.65 -50 Pack 3 in. \$2.25



Flexible polyethylene plant tray in green which protects the pottery and adds to the which protest the pottery and adds to the life of the plant. Exclusive construction col-lects water in sunken bottom. The absorb-ent Stimu-Pad feeds this moisture back to roots. Lower surface raised to provide ventilation, thus no ring marks. Avoid stains and scratches to your furniture and sills.

Will accommodate flower pots

9373—up to 2½ in. diameter 15¢ each 9374-up to 41/8 in. diameter 25¢ each 9376-up to 61/8 in. diameter 45¢ each

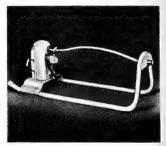
#### Bloomlife

Keeps cut flowers fresh days longer because it contains EXTRA hormones to give more moisture to petals, leaves and stems. 9354—1 pkt. (makes two qts.) 10¢; 9296—26 quart size \$1.00



## WHIRL-A-SPRAY Rotary Sprinkler

This Rotary Type Sprinkler will give excellent coverage from 5 to 50 ft. in diameter. Jet controlled water distribution means even dispersal of water throughout the area. Chrome plated brass head and jets insure many years of service. 3401—36.00 each



## DIAL-A-MATIC Oscillating Sprinkler

Quality product constructed of the finest material obtainable. Sprinkle's a rectangular area up to 2400 sq. ft. Just turn the dial to fit the pattern of your lawn. New Dial-A-Matic fingertip control adjusts to 4 different sprinkling positions. Waters the average lawn on one setting. Equipped with cleanout plug. Sprinkler is 20 inches in length.

9412-\$11.25 each



# **Burpee's Bulbs and Roots**

Can be supplied only from January 1 until May 15 while they are dormant

Some of the most beautiful flowering and foliage plants are grown from bulbs or roots. We offer on this and the following pages a most select assortment of the finest, easy-to-grow kinds, some, such as Dahlias, Gladiolus, and Lilies, for outdoor culture, others for growing indoors and some for either indoor or outdoor culture. All are of high quality and have been tested on Burpee's Fordhook Farms,

Easy "How to grow" directions are sent with every order. At prices quoted, all Flower Bulbs and Roots are sent prepaid in the U. S. If to be sent outside continental U.S. they are sent only at the customer's risk.

Regal Lily

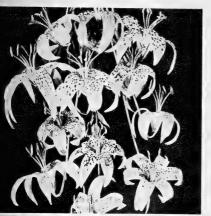
# Hardy Garden Lily Bulbs

Easy to grow in any good, well-drained garden loam to which has been added a generous quantity of leaf mold. Once established they will increase in beauty each year. Most all lilies delight in a sunny location, but it is advisable to mulch so that the hot sun does not reach the soil around the base of the plant. All varieties offered are

highly decorative in the garden. Lily bulbs differ greatly in size highly decorative in the garden. Lift builds that greatly in one according to variety—some 1 in. across, others 3 in. or more; we supply the sizes which will give the best results. We do not recommend Hardy Lify bulbs for house culture. Gloriosa Lifty, which is perennial only in frost-free localities, may be grown in pots.

## Regal Lily

Large trumpet-shaped, white, sweetscented flowers with a touch of canaryyellow in the throat and a shading of lilac-pink on the outside. Clusters of blooms at the top of tall, wiry stems during July. One of the most beautiful and easiest grown of all lilies. 3 to 5 ft.



Lily, Bellingham hybrids

Enchantment Ltly



7242 Regal, Extra Large Bulbs Will produce more flowers per plant and taller spikes the first year than the large bulbs will provide. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$3.10 12 for \$5.75; 25 for \$11.00

7249 Regal, Large Bulbs Shorter spikes with fewer flowers than the above—the size preferred by many for the largest number of flower spikes at low cost. At these low prices, a splendid opportunity is afforded you to plant this beautiful hardy garden lily in quantity. Plants from these bulbs will become more floriferous with age.

4 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.75; 100 for \$20.00

7251 Regale album

Same habit of growth as Regal; the flowers, however, are pure white. They are just as easy to grow, perfectly hardy, established plants having as many as 25 blooms to a stem. Flowers are large, funnel-shaped, and heavily seented. Bloom in July and grow 3 to 5 ft. tall.

60g each; 3 for \$3.16; 6 for \$3.10; 12 for \$3.75; 25 for \$11.00

7262 Bellingham hybrids A strain of hardy lilies, ranging in color from clear yellow through yellow-orange to bright orange-red with scarlet tipped petals, the majority intensely spotted with brown or reddish brown. We can supply mixed colors only. About 5 ft. tall bearing up to 20 gaily colored, long lasting, recurved flowers in June and July. Likes partial shade.

60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$3.10; 12 for \$5.75; 25 for \$11.00

7246 Centifolium hybrids Immense, white, funnel-shaped, fragrant flowers, the outside varying from emerald-green through tints of pink to brownish purple, These gorgeously colored hybrids bloom in July and August and when established grow up to 6 ft. Prefer partial shaped 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75

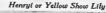
7263 **Enchantment** An upright growing hardy lily of a most intense shade of nasturtium-red. Flowers are large, cup-shaped, well formed, long lasting and are produced on straight, stiff stems 3 ft. and more tail in late June and early July. Sure to attract attention. (U. S. Plant Patent 862.)

60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$3.10; 12 for \$5.75; 25 for \$11.00

7247 **Henryi** (Yellow Show Wy) Brilliant salmon-orange flowers with reddish brown spots and a green central line in each petal. Blooms in late July and August. Sometimes called the Yellow Speciosum Lily as petals reflex. 4 to 6 ft. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75

7248 Orange Triumph Erect, large, broad-petaled, cup-shaped light produced in clusters of 7 or 8 atop strong 4 ft. plants in July and August. It is of the easiest culture in any ordinary garden soil, light or heavy. An extremely hardy variety.  $50 \not\in$  each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75

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## 7261 Gloriosa Lily (Rothschildiana)

A most unusual and fascinating garden lily in that it will climb if it has something nearby to which it may attach itself. Leaves are elongated, soft green with curling tendrils on the tips with which they cling to a fence, trellis, string or wire.

Gloriosa Lily is most exotic in color and shape. The petals are sharply recurved, brilliant red bordered golden yellowa striking bicolor contrast, the red becoming darker as flowers age. Planted in full sun, the colorings are more brilliant but plants become stockier, shorter and the stems of less length. Blooms have remarkable keeping qualities so make wonderful cut flowers. They also make attractive pot plants.

Roots are entirely unlike any of the other lilies-they do not have scales but are somewhat like a small dahlia tuber, 4 to 6 in, long and a trifle thicker than a lead pencil. Plant in a horizontal position, 4 to 5 in. deep in full sun or semi-shade. They do best in a sandy soil, preferably on the acid side; it is essential that any soil in which tubers are planted be well drained. Not hardy except in frost-free sections.

\$1.25 each: 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.50; 12 for \$12.50



## Hardy Garden Lily Bulbs, continued

7252 **Speciosum album** (White Show Lily) Large white blooms with golden green midrib, the frilly edged petals being attractively rolled back while the stamens and pistif curl out from the flower itself. A handsome, graceful, free blooming lily; August and September. 3 ft. and more tail. 75¢ each; 3 for \$2.10; 6 for \$4.00; 12 for \$7.50

7253 **Speciosum rubrum** (Show tily) Beautiful white flowers suffused rose-pink and spotted crimson. The petals are gracefully reflexed. Blooms in August and September with four to ten flowers per stem; well established plants often have more. Grows 3 to 4 ft. tall. Universal favorite. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.05; 6 for \$3.10; 12 for \$5.75

7255 **Tenuifolium** (The Lovely Corol Lily of Siberia) Small, nodding, deep coralred flowers with strongly reflexed petals of waxy texture, borne during June and July on slender stems about 18 in, tall. Charming lily for border or rock garden; does well in any good, well-drained soil in a sunny location.

500 each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75

7256 Tigrinum fl. pl. (Double Tiger Lily) Bright salmon-red double flowers spotted purplish black. Showy blooms during August and September, Hardy and robust; grows anywhere in ordinary garden soil. The only double flowered lily that we list. 4 ft. and more tall. Nice for backgrounds.

509 each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.00; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75

7257 Tigrinum giganteum (Giant Tiger Lily) Erect, sturdy plants, 3 to 4 ft. tall with many large blooms of bright salmon-red densely spotted with purplish black; petals reflex and roll back most gracefully. Blooms in August and September. Very hardy. Easily grown; in fact, it is so widely grown in this country, that it is thought of as a native lily. Lasts for years.

45∉ each; 3 for \$1.20; 6 for \$2.30; 12 for \$4.50; 25 for \$8.50

## SPECIAL: Four Glorious Hardy Garden Lilies

Henryi, Regale album, Speciosum album and Speciosum rubrum

8944—4 Bulbs, 1 of each of the above varieties, total value \$2.45 for only

8945 - 12 Bulbs, 3 of each of the above varieties, total value \$6.75 for only

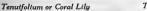
8946-24 Bulbs, 6 of each of the above varieties, total value \$12.80 for only

6.25

113 All bulbs postpaid in the U.S. Speciosum rubrum or Show Lily

Speciosum album or White Show Lily







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# **Burpee's DAHLIA ROOTS**

Each year on our Fordhook Farms we try out hundreds of varie-ties of dahlias and select those that are the best growers, freest bloomers, and which we recommend as the best for you to plant. All are listed here, with some outstanding varieties that we have created. Whether you select the massive Formal or Informal Decorative, the lovely Cactus, Semi-Cactus or the small Pompon varieties, you will be delighted with the results.

Cultural directions are sent with every order for Dahlia roots. We supply strong root divisions from field-grown clumps which are guaranteed to produce satisfactory results or your money will be refunded. All roots are sent prepaid anywhere in the U. S.

The American Dahlia Society has adopted a classification for all dahlias according to the formation of the flowers. After each name we use initials to denote the class to which that variety belongs.

F. D. = Formal Decorative; I. D. = Informal Decorative; C = Cactus; S. C. = Semi-Cactus.

## FORMAL AND INFORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS



8070 Andries Wonder (I.D.) Orange petals touched pink on golden base. Enormous. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50 8030 Aristos (I. D.) Enormous velvety violet-red flowers tipped white on strong stiff stems. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8005 Arthur Godfrey (F. D.) Orient red with orange or buff shadings. Immense blooms. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00 8031 Big Red (I.D.) Lovely, vibrant, russet orange-red, lightening toward edges. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50 8025 Charmaine (I. D.) Immense lavender blooms with lovely orchid suffusion. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8032 Clarium Kelton (I. D.) Flame-red with a yellow reverse. Free blooming. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8033 Commando (F. D.) Large, dark lavender flowers; the best of its color. Striking. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 6 for \$5.00 8034 Cover Girl (F.D.) Large blooms of pure lavender tipped white, well above foliage. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50 8006 Croydon Masterpiece (F. D.) Salmon-orange suffused coppery tan. Huge. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00 8020 D-Day (F. D.) Medium sized, bright rose; prolific and highly prized for cutting. 75¢ each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75 8024 Five Star General (F. D.) Light **ai** (F. D.) Light pink, edged and \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00 shaded canary-yellow. 8039 Full Moon (I. D.) Clear canary yellow flowers of excellent form and color. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

Five Extra Choice Decorative Dahlias

Commando, exquisite shade of dark lavender D-Day, popular bright rose for cutting Mrs. Wm. S. Knudsen, leading pure white Sherwood Peach, yellowish buff of great beauty Terpo, bright vermilion-red; general favorite

8911 — SPECIAL: One root each of these 5 named varieties, value \$5.50 for only \$5.00

8047 Lavender Perfection (F.D.) Faultless, exhibition blooms of pure lavender-pink. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8050 Lilac Time (I. D.) Rich, striking shade of warm lavender. Good, stiff stems. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8052 Mrs. George Le Boutillier (I. D.) Deep rich carmine-red; commands attention. 75¢ each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75 8027 Mrs. Hester Pape (I. D.) Very large, reddish purple flowers on strong stems. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8002 Mrs. Wm. S. Knudsen (F. D.) Best white for cutting, exhibition and garden. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8053 Nagel's Sensation (I. D.) Very large salmon-rose blooms with lemon center. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50 8174 Pink Giant (I. D.) Clear tyrian pink flowers of immense size on long stems. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8055 Porto Bello Gold (F. D.) Large, gleaming gold flowers are ideal for all purposes. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 6 for \$5.00 8066 Purity (Islip) (F. D.) Tall healthy plants bearing pure white flowers in abundance. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 6 for \$5.00 8013 Radiant Beauty (I. D.) Extra large flowers variegated red and yellow. Showy. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8084 Red Eagle (F. D.) Vivid red for either exhibition or cutting. Fine keeper. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8121 Red Giant (F. D.) Very sturdy plant bearing large flowers of spectrum red. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 6 for \$5.00 8057 Scarlet Giant (F. D.) Striking scarlet flowers of large size and perfect form. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8063 Sherwood Peach (I. D.) Yellowish buff blooms of great depth on strong stems. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8037 **Terpo** (I. D.) Attractive, bright vermilion-red blooms of nice form and large size. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8048 Tidal Wave (I.D.) A champion Colossus of purest yellow borne on the best of stems. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00 8125 Victory (F. D.) Rose-pink suffused gold. A real favorite for sheer beauty. Good keeper. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 6 for \$5.00 8067 Whirlaway (I. D.) Soft lemon-yellow. Rich glossy green holly-like foliage, \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25 8085 White Supreme (F. D.) A nice all-purpose white that bears its blooms profusely. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25



## **POMPON DAHLIAS**

Pompon Dahlias have always been favorites with flower lovers and dahlia fanciers. These smalles for all dahlias combine so many pleasant features that they justly deserve a place in every garden. They grow most freely, require little care after planting, and bring forth a wealth of blooms, rewarding the grower with a generous supply of gorgeous cut flowers during the late summer and fall Plants are of stocky growth, quite branching and extremely free flowering. Nice for borders; invaluable for table decoration, as they keep in good condition for a long while after cutting.

8000 **Albino** Small, pure white flowers of perfect form are freely borne on strong stems. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75

8056 Brilliant Eye A small flowering variety of a most showy magenta-red color. Distinct. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75

8068 Mimosa An excellent exhibition variety of the most beautiful deep yellow color. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75

8089 Morning Mist A showy flower of white tipped lavender; rosy lavender at center. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.50

8009 Peggy Wood Charming, orange tipped white blooms are freely produced. Striking. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75

8072 Regulus Neatly formed little blooms in an attractive, rich purple-violet hue. 50\(\xete} each; 3 \text{ for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.50}

8073 Rosa Wilmoth Deep rose-pink, medium-sized blooms of great appeal. Good grower. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.50

8026 Tip Top Medium-sized round blooms of an intense fiery crimson. Bright and cheerful. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75

8010 Yellow Gem Pleasing shade of rich creamy yellow. Very attractive cut flower. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75

#### **Dahlias are Lovely for Cutting**

They will last longer if, after they are cut, the lower leaves are removed and the stems plunged in water as hot as the hand can bear. When the water cools, put flowers in a container of cold water, Cut dahlias should be kept away from heat and drafts.

## **CACTUS DAHLIAS**

8069 American Judge (S.C.) Golden yellow; salmon-orange shadings on outer petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50

8046 Aumonier Chandelon (C) Neyron-rose shading lighter at center. Pleasing. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50

8036 Fay Beaton (S. C.) One of the best pure whites of true semi-cactus form. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8071 Good Earth (C) Purest pink flowers in great profusion on wiry, long stems. Purest pink flowers in great profusion \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00

8045 Mary Astor (S. C.) Rosy lavender, paler toward the edges. Fine exhibition semi-cactus variety of great popularity. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00

8042 Preference (C) Salmon-orange shaded violet toward center. Distinct, unusual. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50

8086 Shower of Gold (C) Light yellow flowers of good size and form. Fine in every way. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8004 Son of Satan (C) Immense bright scarlet flowers on long, strong strong stems. Under some conditions the blooms appear as semi-cactus flowers. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50

8054 The Cardinal (S. C.) Nicely formed flowers of bright cardinal-red which stand well out of the foliage on perfect stems. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8074 Zenith (C.) Well formed, large flowers of deep purple with reverse of petals colored silver. An early and free flowering variety. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50

## Burpee's Bargain Collection of Decorative and Cactus Dahlias

Our selection from those varieties we may have in surplus when your order is filled. Your opportunity to get some fine named giant dahlias at a real bargain price.

8917—SPECIAL: One root each, 6 varieties for \$4.50 8918—SPECIAL: One root each, 12 varieties for 8.00

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## Dahlia Roots, continued



Pompon Dahlias

#### **Five Little Pompon Dahlias**

Brilliant Eye (showy magenta-red),
Albino (pure white), Poggy Wood (orange),
Rosa Wilmoth (rose-pink) and Yellow Gem

8909—SPECIAL: One root each, value \$2.90 for \$2.50 8910—SPECIAL: Three roots each, value \$7.35 for 6.75

## Four Big Cactus Dahlias

Fay Beaton (white), Good Earth (pink), American Judge (yellow) and The Cardinal (cardinal-red)

**8915—SPECIAL:** One root each, value \$6.00 for **\$5.50 8916—SPECIAL:** Two roots each, value \$12.00 for **10.00** 

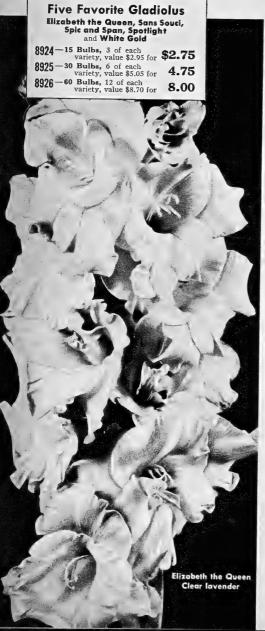


# Gladiolus Bulbs

Burpee's famous gladiolus are grown and admired wherever beautiful flowers are known. They make attractive displays in the garden, planted either in beds or in groups here and there in perennial or annual borders and are ideal for house decoration. spikes are cut when the bottom flower shows color, all the buds, clear to the top, will open. Burpee's Gladiolus Bulbs are easily grown in any good, well-drained soil in a sunny location.

The gladiolus bulbs that we offer are large, 1½ in. and more across and will produce the largest flowers and the tallest spikes. All Burpee bulbs are guaranteed to bloom or your money back. We offer an extra choice selection of named varieties on this and the opposite page—old favorites and best of the new varieties.

You may order 25 bulbs or more of the same variety at the 100 rate.



8288 **Abu Hassan** Large, early deep velvety violet-blue blooms. 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8246 Ares Very early, new variety destined to be a leader for all uses. Boldly blotched pinkish white flowers with scarlet throat.

3.for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8290 Bagdad Smoky old rose, deeper toward the edges; faint creamy blotch marked pink is found on the lower petals.

3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8249 Benjamin Britten Strong growing, tall straight spikes of purplish layender set off by a contrasting white throat. 3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8389 Blue Beauty Medium blue shading darker toward the edges. Many wide open, nicely placed blooms. Most attractive.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8260 Bouton d'Or Lightly ruffled, deep yellow blooms with 8 to 10 open at one time on tall, upright spikes. A different yellow. 3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8292 **Burma** Very deep rose shading somewhat lighter in the throat. 7 to 10 deeply ruffled flowers are open at one time.  $3 \text{ for } 55 \not\in; 6 \text{ for } 95 \not\in; 12 \text{ for } \$1.60; 100 \text{ for } \$10.00$ 8309 Dieppe Deep salmon-red with a darker blotch-an attrac-

tive, distinctive color. Opens 7 to 9 large blooms at one time. 3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8302 Elizabeth the Queen The best lavender. Has a touch of rose in the throat. 7 to 8 flowers open at one time. Beautiful.

3 for 50¢; 6 for 90¢; 12 for \$1.50; 100 for \$9.00

8277 Elmer's Rose Like Noweta Rose, but more of a rose shade. Intensely ruffled flowers of wonderful substance.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8310 Ethel Cave Cole Pure light pink shading to a creamy throat. One of the largest pinks and very popular for cutting. 3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8266 Evangeline Long flower spike with 8 or 9 large, pastel pink blooms open at one time. Excellent for home and show.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8253 Florence Nightingale Glistening, pure white blooms. 3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8314 General Eisenhower Brilliant begonia-rose flowers of immense size, often as much as 7½ in. across. Stately spikes.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8278 **Gold** Beautiful ruffled yellow, especially for cut flowers. 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8281 Harrisburger Clear, deep red with as many as nine open 5 in. flowers, nicely placed, on sturdy 5 ft. spikes. Very popular. 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8264 **Hopman's Glory** Tall, bright yellow. Buds show color full length of flowering head, adding charm in garden or vase.

3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8268 King David Ruffled purple flowers with a silver picotee, 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8338 **Leeuwenhorst** Light rose slightly tinted with lavender. 3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8282 Leif Ericsson The most widely used cream. Eight to ten lightly ruffled 6 in. flowers open out of 20 buds on a husky spike.

3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8251 Lorelei Very tall ruffled light cream, deeper in the throat. Wonderful grower with 7 to 9 stretchy flowers open at once. 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8269 Mansoer Rich, deep shade of red enhanced by a brownish suffusion. The tall spikes often grow to a height of 5 ft.

3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8255 Marshall Montgomery Shining deep maroon. Large open flowers of excellent form are borne on tall, straight spikes.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8332 Masquerade Amber-yellow with distinct scarlet-carmine blotch. Very attractive flower and a striking novelty.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8261 **Melody** Large, beautiful clear soft rose flowers with yellow lip petals. A butterfly type that is wonderful for arrangements.

3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8325 Miss Wisconsin Truly beautiful, rose colored giant flowers on strong spikes. Wonderful for show purposes. 3 for  $55\varepsilon$ ; 6 for  $95\varepsilon$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

5% DDT Dust For the control of Gladiolus thrip and other sucking and leaf eating pests. Before planting add 5% DDT dust to bulb surfaces. When plants are 6 in. high dust them with 5% DDT dust and repeat applications frequently.

9266-1 lb. canister 80¢ 9403-4 lb. bag \$1.70

#### Six Beautiful Gladiolus

A lovely collection of 6 different varieties, especially selected for their large flowers, long spikes and desirable colors.

Bouton d'Or, Burma, Mansoer, Mother Fischer, Pandora and The Rajah

8929 — 18 Bulbs, 3 each of the above six varieties, value \$3.55 for \$3.25

8930 - 36 Bulbs, 6 each of the above six varieties, value \$6.05 for

8931 -72 Bulbs, 12 each of the above six varieties, value \$10.40 for 9.50

5.50

8345 **Morning Kiss** Large, well placed, white flowers shaded rose; 8 to 10 open at one time. Tall grower. Fine for exhibition. 3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8270 Mother Fischer A huge, ruffled white that is a tall and sturdy grower with up to 8 crisp, heavy textured flowers open at once.
3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8279 Noweta Rose More of a lavender color than rose. Spikes often 5 ft. tall with 10 flowers open. Grand for exhibition purposes. 3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8275 Orange Gold Ruffled flower of true orange with a small golden throat on tall, strong spikes. A very popular variety.

3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8256 Pactolus Apricot-cream with orange-red blotches on lower petals. Makes a spectacular color effect. Imposing spike. 3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8361 Pandora Soft geranium-pink with pale rosy red featherings on two lower petals which add to the beauty of the flowers. 3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8271 **Picardy** Immense spikes of rich apricot-pink blooms. Individual flowers are extremely large, slightly ruffled and wax-like.

3 for 55¢; 16 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8280 **Polynesia** A pure salmon, deeper than Picardy, with yellow throat and salmon blotch. Up to 10 flowers open at one time.  $3 \text{ for } 60 \text{ $\epsilon$}; 6 \text{ for $1.00$}; 12 \text{ for $1.75$}; 100 \text{ for $$12.00$}$ 

8295 **Princess** An early medium lavender that is very popular for exhibition purposes. Many flowers are open at one time.

3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8293 **Prospector** Six to 8 gorgeous, ruffled light yellow flowers with golden lip petals open on 18 to 20 bud spikes. Beautiful. 3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8284 Purple Burma Up to ten 6 in. flowers of a lustrous, rich, deep, velvety purple open at once. Heavy ruffling and wonderful texture add to the beauty of the lovely, regally colored spikes.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8274 Red Wing Rich scarlet-red with a small deeper red feathering in the throat. Immense flowers on tall spikes.
3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8296 **Regina** Huge deep yellow flowers containing some apricot, almost a light orange, with scarlet blotch. Waved and ruffled. 3 for  $75 \not\in$ ; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8283 Rose Charm Large flowers of a lovely light rose, usually seven open at one time. A good choice for exhibition spikes.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8297 Rosita A great variety for all uses. Up to 10 ruffled 6 in, flowers of soft rose on tall spikes. Throat is a deeper rose color. 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; °12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8257 Salman's Glory Pure light cream with carmine blotch. A supreme beauty and a giant. One of the very best fancies.
3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8300 Salman's Sensation A sensational medium deep blue that is tops for exhibition and home gardens. Huge flowers. 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8312 Sans Souci A popular clear scarlet-red that is widely grown for cut flowers. Showy spikes on very tall, healthy plants. 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8252 **Snow Princess** Fine pure white—one of the best. Flowers are large, spikes long and straight. Usually a prize winner. 3 for 50¢; 6 for 90¢; 12 for \$1.50; 100 for \$9.00

8333 Spic and Span Lovely rich pink ruffled flowers of perfect form. Many open at one time, Quite tall. Strong grower. 3 for  $55 \not \in$ ; 6 for  $95 \not \in$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8404 Spotlight Beautiful deep golden yellow with small flaming scarlet blotch in throat. Unexcelled for cutting purposes.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8320 The Rajah One of the best purples for all uses. Tall spikes with 7 to 10 large, heavily ruffled, velvety purple flowers open at once. 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

# Gladiolus Bulbs, continued

8276 **Tivoli** Warm, pure pink and one of the best all 'round rosepink gladiolus for garden and cutting. 8 to 10 open flowers.  $3 \text{ for } 60 \text{ $\varepsilon$}$ ; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8299 **Traveler** Light rose-pink with small deeper blotch. Ten to twelve flowers open on a grand head with many more in bud. 3 for  $75 \, \varepsilon$ ; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8321 **Uhu** Lobster red striped lilac; fine for cutting and garden. 3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8259 Valeria Distinctive light red shade; well-placed, prettily ruffled flowers, borne on tall, stiffly erect spikes, Much desired. 3 for  $60 \, e$ ; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

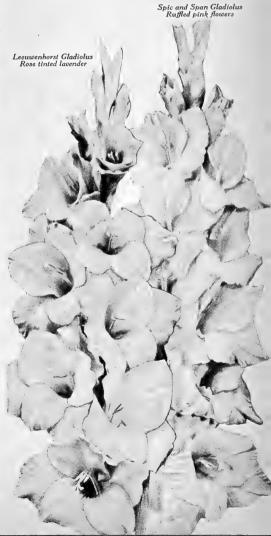
8287 Violet Charm Clear, pale lavender-violet with a deeper violet feather on a cream throat. Eight to ten 5 in. flowers, open at one time on 20-bud spikes that are highly prized for exhibition, 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8294 White Gold Enormous, lightly ruffled cream colored blooms blending to gold in the throat. Rather spectacular. 3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

#### 8368 BURPEE'S FORDHOOK HYBRIDS

Select assortment of gladiolus, representing a magnificent, showy Select assortment of gladious, representing a magnineent, smooth mixture of only the choicest large-flowered varieties in a wide array of colors. Our large bulbs will produce the tallest spikes with the greatest number of blooms on each. Prized for garden and cutting.

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8833 LARGE BULBS for the biggest flowers and more of them per plant.
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Frilled

8836 Mixed Colors Gorgeous blooms, some with frilled and ruffled petals, like lower flower; others have a crested center. LARGE BULBS: 45g each; 3 for \$1.20; 6 for \$2.30; 12 for \$4.50; 25 for \$8.50

## **Rosebud Begonias**

8837 Pink Shades Young flowers resemble rosebuds in shades of rose and pink. LARGE BULBS: 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$9.50

## Picotee Double Begonia

8835 Mixed Colors Flowers are fully double with a contrasting border of a different color from that of the rest of the flower. LARGE BULES: 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$9.50

## **Hanging Begonias**

8815 Mixed Colors Large double flowers in masses as to make a colors Large to the nowers in makes on gracefully suspending stems. Fine for hanging baskets, window boxes or pots. Choice assortment of the most popular colors. LARGE BULBS: 45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20; 6 for \$2.30; 12 for \$4.50; 25 for \$8.50

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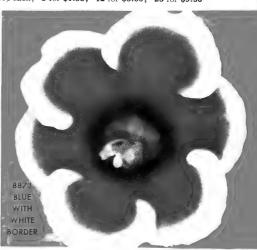




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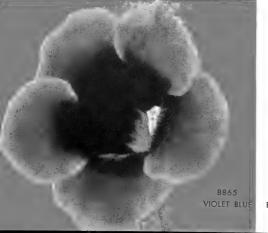




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Gloxinia, Scarlet with White Border

Montbretia, Mixed Colors

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8873 Blue with white border A most showy combination of colors.

8865 Violet Blue Rich and distinctive shade that is always admired.

8853 Bright Red Lively, dazzling and intense tone of red; popular.

8867 Scarlet with white border Greatly admired for its brilliancy.

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8892 Mixed Tall graceful spikes of gaily colored flowers like miniature gladiolus in shades of scarlet, orange, yellow and salmon. Good garden flower in bloom for many weeks during midsummer and early fall. Ideal for cutting. Not hardy in cold climates; bulbs should be lifted in late fall and stored during the winter months.

3 for 40¢; 6 for 75¢;

12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$9.50

MONTBRETIA — Gay Colors

## TUBEROSE

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8896 Excelsior, Dwarf Pearl Double, fragrant, wax-like flowers closely set on upright sturdy spikes 2 to 3 ft. tall. Nice in the garden, besides being highly prized as long lasting cut flowers. Roots are not hardy and should be treated as annuals. New roots should be planted each year.

3 for 50f; 6 for 90f;
12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00



Where quantities of 100 bulbs are listed, you may order 25 bulbs or more of the same variety at the 100 rate.

8875 Giant Gloxinias, Mixed Colors For a grand display. LARGE BULBS: 3 for \$1.35; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$9.50

#### TIGRIDIA — Tigerflower

8895 Mixed Brilliant, exotic blooms in 8895 MIXEG Brillant, exotic blooms in scarlet, rose, yellow and orange. Also known as Mexican Shell Flower. Flowers have six petals, the three smaller ones being blotched with carmine, purple or mahogany and often tinged pink, lavender or apricot. Plants grow 2 ft. tall. Not hardy so bulbe wreth see the noisy the fall. so bulbs must be taken up in the fall.

3 for 55¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.85; 100 for \$12.50

OXALIS — Easily grown indoors or out

8894 Lasiandra Pretty, rich rosy crimson flowers borne in umbels. Free-blooming little plants which are showy in the border, rock garden, in pots or hanging baskets. Not hardy; dig before frost if planted outdoors. Plant in quantity for best effect. Our bulbs are the finest strain obtainable which we import from Holland.

12 for 50¢; 100 for \$3.25; 200 for \$6.00

ISMENE — Peruvian Daffodil

8890 Calathina Sweet scented white flowers of quaint but attractive form, which are showy whether grown in garden or pots and admired as house plant or border subject. Ismene bulbs are not hardy; bring inside before frost.

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#### HARDY AMARYLLIS\_Magic Lily

7648 Halli (Also called Mystery Lily.) Leaves produced in early spring ripen and disappear in June or July. About a month later, as if by magic, stalks 2 to 3 ft. tall appear crowned with a whorl of 8 to 12 lavenderpink, lily-like flowers. For outdoor planting only. Nice for cutting, Hardy amaryllis, botanically Lycoris squamigera, do well in any good, well-drained soil, in full sun. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.00; 12 for \$5.00

## RANUNCULUS

7653 Tecolote Giants The largest and most magnificent strain. Giant double and semi-double flowers. 3 in. and more across, are freely borne on strong stems, 12 to 15 in. long. Our mixture contains a wonderful range of colors—yellows, from straw to deep golden yellow; all shades of red; orange; pink; many ringed and tipped with a deeper color. Do best in a shady location and in moderately rich soil. Fine for cutting. Not reliably hardy north of Washington, D. C., except in warm, sheltered locations. Splendid for growing in frames or pots. Set roots, claws downward, 2 in. deep, 4 to 6 in. apart. If grown in pots, plant 6 to 8 roots in a 6-in pot; cover roots with 1 in. of soil, and allow 2 in. of space between them.

3 for 30¢; 6 for 50¢; 12 for 85¢; 100 for \$5.60

## GIANT CANNAS

Stately plants with large foliage of tropical appearance and clusters of massive, well-formed blooms on strong stems. Do best in full sun and rich sold. All have green foliage except where noted. Showy throughout summer and fall. Not hardy. We send out dormant, 2 to 3 eye root divisions and suggest starting them indoors.

8427 Halli Rich, silvery pink, Low growing, free blooming plants. 3 ft.

8447 Hungaria Magnificent deep rose-pink flowers; charming. 31/2 ft.

8432 Indiana Glowing orange flowers freely borne in large heads. 5 ft.

8478 King Humbert Orange-scarlet flowers, bronzy red foliage. 41/2 ft. 8435 Louis Cayeux Beautiful rose-pink flowers in abundance. 41/2 ft.

8434 Richard Wallace Canary-yellow flowers; free blooming. 4 ft.

8476 The Ambassador Cherry-red flowers; rich bronze foliage. 5 ft.

8416 The President Bright, glowing scarlet; profuse bloomer. 5 ft.

8419 Wintzer's Colossal Intense scarlet blooms in large trusses. 5 ft. 8486 Wyoming Rich orange flowers; stately bronze foliage. 6 ft.

8437 Yellow King Humbert Yellow marked with crimson dots. 41/2 ft.

Any of the above Giant Cannas:

40¢ each; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.85; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00



Hardy Amaryllis, Halli

#### ANEMONE CORONARIA

Compact plants with long, stiff-stemmed flowers in May and June in many colors some prettily edged or zoned. Need winter protection north of Washington, D. C., unless in a sheltered location. Fine for pots, borders and rock gardens. 1 ft.

7642 Blue Poppy Large single flowers in a wide range of blues.

7643 De Caen Poppy Flowered Single flowers in bright colors.

7644 His Excellency Large single dazzling bright scarlet blooms.

7645 St. Brigid Semi-double and double blooms in rich colors.

Any of the above Anemones:

3 for 40¢; 6 for 70¢; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00



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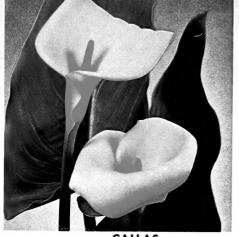
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CALLAS—Easily raised plants for pots or outdoors during the summer

7649 Golden Yellow (Elliottiana) Showy plants with beautiful golden yellow blooms in lovely contrast to the green leaves, which are attractively spotted white. Popular for pot culture. Not hardy. 50∉ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00

7651 White (Ethiopica) Large trumpet-shaped white flowers and arrow-shaped green foliage. Well known. Callas should have rich soil for best results. Not hardy. Bulbs should be litted in fall.

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